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## PEPPERY SENATOR TELLS COLLEAGUES COOLIDGE IS WRONG

### CHAIRMAN FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE DISSATISFIED WITH SITUATION

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Jan. 13.—An appeal to the administration to abolish "the use of force" in dealing with Central America and to seek to establish amity by amiable means was made in the Senate today by Chairman Borah of the Foreign Relations Committee.

This could be accomplished, said the Senator, by establishing contact with the Central American people themselves. "If we do that," he declared, "we can follow a policy in Central America which will protect our rights."

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Jan. 13.—President Coolidge's Nicaraguan policy was attacked in the Senate today by Senator Borah.

Dissatisfied with the explanation given Congress by the President in his special message Monday, and unconvinced by the supplemental evidence submitted yesterday to the Foreign Relations Committee by Secretary Kellogg, Mr. Borah expressed to his colleagues in characteristically vigorous terms his dissent from the course to which the Washington government has committed itself.

He said at the outset that the controversy was not "a personal one, but that as chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee he could not sit by and silently appear to acquiesce in what had been done."

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Jan. 13.—Momentous debate on the administration's policy regarding the Nicaragua-Mexico situation was in the offing as Congress turned today to peruse more carefully Secretary Kellogg's testimony detailing the reason which led the State Department to become concerned with the spectre of a Mexican-fostered bolshevism intervening between the United States and the Pan-American Canal.

Mr. Kellogg revealed these reasons in a lengthy statement yesterday before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and efforts were expected to be made today to have him appear before the House Foreign Relations Committee. While such a move was lacking yesterday, Representative Moore, (Dem.) of Virginia, was prepared to move today that the Secretary also give his views to the House committee.

Mexico Named as Base.  
Quoting from executive communists' declarations and resolutions, Secretary Kellogg told the Senate committee which has been called to meet again today, that all of these had named Mexico in particular and Latin-America in general as basis for attacks on the "Imperialistic" United States. It was these documents, together with information showing that arms and ammunition were clearing Mexican ports for the Sacaia Liberals in Nicaragua, which led State Department officials to regard the recent developments in Nicaragua as affecting not only American interests in that country but in all Central America.

To show specifically the relations

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## ELEVEN JURORS HAD BEEN SECURED IN TRIAL OF MINISTER

### BELIEVED TESTIMONY WILL BE STARTED IN NOTED CASE FRIDAY MORNING

By Associated Press.  
Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 13.—Questions about Ku Klux Klan membership were ruled admissible in selecting a jury in the Norris murder trial, as the tenth and eleventh jurors were selected here today.

The tenth juror is T. H. Tunney, city light plant employee, aged 45, making the second juror taken this morning. Lee H. Caldwell, aged 40, automobile salesman, was the eleventh juror.

The defense made strenuous objections to further questions by the State as to whether prospective jurors were Klansmen. Dayton Moses stated that Dr. Norris, the defendant "was not now, and never had been a member of the Klan."

He asked the judge to rule that the State could not ask this question any more in the trial. He said it would be unfair to bring in the Klan issue.

Attorney Jesse Martin, Tarrant County District Attorney, demanded that Attorney Moses make his statement under oath, but Judge James R. Hamilton ruled that the Klan questions were proper.

### Nine Jurors Secured.

By Associated Press.  
Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 13.—Nine jurors had been selected at 11 a. m. today to try Dr. J. Frank Norris, Baptist fundamentalist, for the slaying of Dexter E. Chipps of Fort Worth. Attorneys believed they would have the jury completed by early afternoon.

The ninth juror is T. J. Cunningham, a Travis county farmer, who owns his own place, is married, and has read one of Dr. Norris' hermons on marriage and divorce.

The other eight jurors are: W. D. Miller, former sheriff; C. J. Brown, laborer; O. L. Moore, laborer; Walter Johnson, dairyman; Will J. Dill, retired; C. A. Galbreath, butcher; W. T. King, blacksmith, and G. V. Foster, blacksmith.

Thus far, three veniremen who said that they had been members of the Ku Klux Klan, and one Catholic, have been excused.

Attorneys believed testimony would start not later than tomorrow and that the prosecution's preliminary evidence would be brief.

### Veniremen Have Fixed Opinions

By Associated Press.  
Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 13.—Numerous fixed opinions on the guilt or innocence of the defendant eliminated a number of veniremen in quick order from the Norris murder trial venire list when court opened here today.

Within ten minutes four veniremen had been excused because they had positive opinions concerning the case in which Dr. J. Frank Norris is being tried for the slaying of D. E. Chipps, Fort Worth lumberman.

Mrs. E. Chipps, divorced wife of the slain man, sat beside her 14-year-old son as court opened. She had been absent since Monday morning. Her dress today had been changed from one of complete mourning to a lavender hat with purple ribbon band and a black dress with white lace collar. She had a bouquet of violets on her coat.

John H. McCoy, the 74th venireman, was reluctant to tell whether

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## DEMONSTRATION IS AIMED AT AMERICAN CONSULATE, MEXICO

### BAND OF WORKERS BENT ON ANTI-AMERICAN DEMONSTRATION DISPERSED

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 13.—Anti-American sentiment in Mexico is being displayed as the general public becomes cognizant of the gravity of the international situation augmented by the concern of the American Department of State over the specter of Bolshevism here.

A manifestation against the American consulate at Guadalajara was averted only by military intervention; the national students' congress voted yesterday to support the attitude of President Calles in the international crisis, denouncing at the same time the "Northern Colonists," while the newspapers, particularly El Universal, are charging domination of Mexico on the part of the United States at the behest of the exploiters who invested money in Mexico.

Meanwhile the government, which is beset by sporadic outbreaks in various parts of the republic, today announced further measures to crush the insurrections which already are known to have cost the lives of at least 75 rebels and 14 Federal soldiers.

Say 140 Rebels Seen Hanging.  
Rumors reaching Mexico City that 140 rebels were seen hanging from trees on a highway near Otmaba were without confirmation and are felt to be untrue since such a wholesale hanging would imply a serious defeat of the revolutionists which the War Department would have announced.

The Mexican Catholic Episcopate today issued a statement denying the charges coming from the office of President Calles yesterday that the Episcopate had incited the recent disorders.

Bishop Still Missing.  
Bishop Diaz, secretary of the Mexican Episcopate, who has dropped out of sight ever since Monday he was visited by federal officials, was still missing today despite efforts to locate him. Dispatches from Vera Cruz, where it was thought he might have been taken say that he has not appeared there.

The department of interior has denied rumors that he was being deported and today said that he called on the department on Monday and asked permission to leave the country, the application being granted. It is now thought that he may reappear on the Guatemalan border.

Reports of further fighting in various states continue to come in to Mexico City today.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 13.—Special dispatches from Guadalajara state that an anti-American demonstration before the American consulate there was only avoided by the prompt intervention of Federal authorities.

The dispatches state that a band of workers had already begun a march toward the consulate when General Ferreira, military commandant of the State of Jalisco, took personal command of a force of Federal soldiers and dispersed the marchers.

### Kellogg Held at Fault.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 13.—The declaration that Secretary of State Kellogg and not the Liberal regime in Nicaragua, would be responsible for any demonstrations there in which Nicaraguan or American lives might be lost, was made today by Pedro Zepeda, representative of the Liberal interests here.

Zepeda said that he had been authorized by Dr. Juan Sacasa, head of the Liberal government set up at Puerto Cabezas in opposition to the regime of President Diaz, which has been recognized by the United States, to guarantee lives and property if Marines were withdrawn from Nicaragua.

"Otherwise," he added, "we will not be responsible for any manifestations of popular indignation owing to outrages by the occupying forces against Liberals placing the responsibility on Secretary Kellogg for any uprising in which Nicaraguan or American lives may be lost."

### Kellogg's Communist Charge Denied

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 13.—Commenting on Secretary Kellogg's charge that Mexico is used as a base for communist activities against the United States, Mme. Alexandra Kollantay, Soviet Minister to Mexico, said: "It is absurd to think that Mr. Kellogg has information about something which does not exist."

### Warships Bound for Corinto.

By Associated Press.  
Panama, Jan. 13.—The American cruiser Cincinnati and the destroyer Barker, passed through the Panama canal yesterday en route for Corinto, on the Pacific coast of Nicaragua.

### Sacasa Accepts Mediation.

By Associated Press.  
San Jose, Costa Rica, Jan. 13.—President Jimenez of Costa Rica announced today that Dr. Juan Sacasa, head of the Liberal regime in Nicaragua, had accepted his offer

## SENATE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS ROAD BOARD BE REJECTED

### DECISION REACHED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Jan. 13.—The Senate committee on Governor's nominations Thursday recommended that Eugene Smith of San Antonio, Scott Howard of Fort Worth, and George Robertson of Meridian be not confirmed as Highway Commissioners.

This decision was reached in executive session. Minor recess appointees of Governor Ferguson will be confirmed. If the Highway Commissioners are rejected by the Senate it is not believed that Governor Ferguson will send other appointments, thus leaving the field clear for appointees of Governor-elect Dan Moody.

Moody Awaits Action.  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, Jan. 13.—Dan Moody, Governor-elect, declared Thursday he would not decide on his Highway Commission appointments "until after the Ferguson appointments are disposed of" by the Senate.

"The current rumors that I am pledged or obligated to appoint this man or the other man to membership on the Highway Commission, so persistently circulated by some who desire the confirmation of the Ferguson appointees, are utterly without foundation," Moody said.

Executive session of the Senate for consideration of Governor Ferguson's appointees will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The Senate recessed at 11 o'clock and in the meantime the nominations committee will meet and make its report in the executive session.

House Speaker Busy Man.  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, Jan. 13.—While the House of Representatives was in session today forenoon, Speaker R. L. Bobbit was figuratively up to his neck in work.

The speaker was confronted with the task of selecting his twelve standing committees and a clerk for each of the twelve out of the 186 applications.

A committee last night worked until 10 o'clock informally testing the ability of the clerk applicants so as to make recommendations to the Speaker and relieve him of some of the burden.

The standing committees yet to be announced already have 26 bills prospect when the third day's referred to them, with more in House session got under way at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

### Numerous Bills Proposed.

Austin, Jan. 13.—Erection of a \$500,000 State museum at Texas University is sought in one of the fourteen bills introduced in the Senate today.

Senator T. J. Holbrook of Galveston submitted the measure providing for the erection of the museum as a memorial to Texas heroes. Appropriations of \$15,000 to plan the structure and a total of \$125,000 for maintaining it for 1923 and 1929 were provided.

Holbrook introduced an amendatory bill to the State inheritance tax laws, exempting from inheritance taxes all bequests to religious, charitable or educational institutions to be used within the State and releasing beneficiaries from taxes which have heretofore accrued.

Two bills designed to validate county bonds in Duval county, written by Archie Parr of Beneviden, were finally passed.

J. W. Reid, Canyon, proposed reorganization of the 31st Judicial District to include Roberts, Wheeler, Gray, Ochiltree, Lipscomb and Hemphill counties and the creation of the 107th Judicial District to include Carson, Hansford and Hutchinson counties.

### David Draper Dies In Prescott, Arizona

J. R. Howell has received a telegram telling of the death of David Draper, age about 25 years, in Prescott, Arizona, Wednesday morning. The body will be shipped to Dallas for burial and the funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon.

Dave was well known here. He is survived by his parents, two brothers and two sisters.

Issue No. 44444 of The Times, famous London newspaper, has been printed.

to mediate in the struggle between the Liberals and the Conservatives. Adolfo Diaz, head of the Conservative regime, however, replied that no decision had been reached as regards mediation.

In a statement sent to the Associated Press in reply to a request for his views on President Coolidge's recent Congressional message regarding the Nicaraguan situation, Dr. Sacasa intimated that in view of President Coolidge's stand, he would have to abandon his "posts in order to economize (lessen) the risk for Nicaragua, if nothing more, the risk of an absurd and unequal war with the United States."

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**TRAINING YOUTH**

A professor in Boston University  
 believes that the youth of this gen-  
 eration who are reared in the city  
 lose much that makes them re-  
 sourceful and self-reliant. He  
 thinks that the elemental, primi-  
 tive things of life are needed as a  
 background. In carrying out his  
 ideas with his four sons he has ar-  
 ranged things so that they have  
 had experience with everything that  
 lives and grows on a farm and in  
 the woods about their home. They  
 have gone barefooted while fishing  
 in summer and they have trapped in  
 winter, wading through the  
 snows. They have been given the  
 fullest possible acquaintance with  
 animal and vegetable life. He says  
 he would do the same thing with  
 girls, if he had them. According to  
 his theory such training is needed  
 to make them alert and hardy.

The reason that prompted him  
 primarily to give his sons instruc-  
 tions in the primitive things of life  
 are not less interesting. In study-  
 ing "Snowbound" in his classes he  
 found that his pupils, city-bred, did  
 not know the meaning of many of  
 the terms used. They were un-  
 able to picture in the mind's eye a  
 New England farm on a winter night.  
 Such things were not a part of  
 their world. Yet, it is true that  
 one cannot comprehend much of  
 our best literature unless acquaint-  
 ed with the conditions that sur-  
 rounded life in an earlier day.

What the Boston professor prac-  
 ticed privately with his own sons  
 the Boy Scout movement is doing  
 on much the same line, though per-  
 haps not so extensively, for thou-  
 sands of youth of the oncoming  
 generation, so that the ideas held  
 by the professor are not his exclu-  
 sively. The Indian youth had to  
 demonstrate his capability in  
 woodcraft, in his resourcefulness in  
 obtaining food and his ability to  
 endure privation before he was ad-  
 mitted as a warrior. The Boy  
 Scouts are taught to be self-sus-  
 taining amid conditions where one  
 not so trained would suffer. The  
 Boston professor may have plans  
 somewhat different from the Boy  
 Scouts, but the end to be reached  
 is the same. Each seeks to devel-  
 op individuality and self-reliance  
 through inculcating a desire for in-  
 creased knowledge by pointing the  
 direction to take.

### ACCIDENTS ON THE ROAD.

There is a railroad in the United  
 States that has operated during the  
 last three years without causing  
 the death of a human being, pas-  
 senger or employee, and without in-  
 jury involving the loss of a per-  
 son's arm, hand, eye, leg or foot.  
 Nor is it an insignificant railroad,  
 for its business amounted to 1,830,-  
 000 locomotive miles and 6,000,000  
 man-hours labor in its shops. That  
 is a good record and was rewarded  
 by receiving the Harriman Medal  
 which is offered annually for rail-  
 way safety achievements.

The railroads have shown what  
 is possible to accomplish by a per-  
 sistent observance of safety meth-  
 ods. Automobile traffic, which is  
 much newer in the field of trans-  
 portation, must take a leaf from  
 the book of the railroads.

Year by year the highways are  
 improved. That should be a factor  
 going for safety. But year by  
 year the number of cars increases  
 and accidents become more num-  
 erous. It is the 78 largest cities of  
 the country during the four weeks  
 period ending December 4, there  
 were 634 automobile fatalities.  
 Not was this exceptional. The  
 month before there was 676, and for  
 the corresponding period in 1925  
 there were 625.

It may be impossible to make the  
 automobile as safe for their pas-  
 sengers as are the railway trains.  
 The latter have a fixed right-of-  
 way, definite schedules, centralized  
 control which has intelligence of  
 the movement of all trains upon the

road. The automobile driver makes  
 his own schedule, knows nothing of  
 the plans of other drivers, solves  
 all the problems of meets and  
 passings, and charts his own course  
 without other aid than advice from  
 the back seat, not always consid-  
 ered helpful.

Nevertheless, a continual and  
 consistent record of almost 100  
 deaths a day is a challenge. At  
 least it would be possible to make  
 railway crossings as safe as they  
 are in most European countries,  
 where motor accidents are rare.  
 It should be possible to lessen the  
 number of dangerous curves and  
 concealed intersections; to do  
 away with open ditches along im-  
 proved roads upon which high  
 speed is permitted and to curb  
 the reckless and irresponsible by  
 same handling of the whole matter.

### NOT A PLACE FOR POLITICS

Divorcing of government regu-  
 lation of the railroads from party  
 and sectional politics is urged by  
 W. W. Atterbury, president of the  
 Pennsylvania railroad. That his  
 position is well taken none will  
 deny except those who take ad-  
 vantage of government control of  
 railroads to further the political  
 ambitions of themselves or their  
 party.

President Atterbury admits regu-  
 lation is an accepted and perma-  
 nent policy of the government. It  
 has won the sympathy and sup-  
 port of the carriers as well as of  
 the public. But regulations should  
 be administered without regard to  
 political considerations. Regula-  
 tion guided by political expediency  
 is a menace not only to the roads  
 but to the public interest. As the  
 head of the Pennsylvania says:

"The danger to the railroad in-  
 dustry in its efforts to progress is  
 not in the principle of regulation  
 but in needless regulatory inter-  
 ference based upon political con-  
 siderations."

Under present and wisely admin-  
 istered regulation, railroad men  
 should be permitted to operate the  
 railroad business. Governmental  
 bodies are already clothed with  
 sufficient authority to prevent  
 discrimination and injustice by or  
 against the railroads.

Textbooks on the subject of gov-  
 ernmental control and regulation  
 of public utilities cite as the most  
 forceful argument against such  
 control the impossibility of keep-  
 ing politics out of rail regulation.

### THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

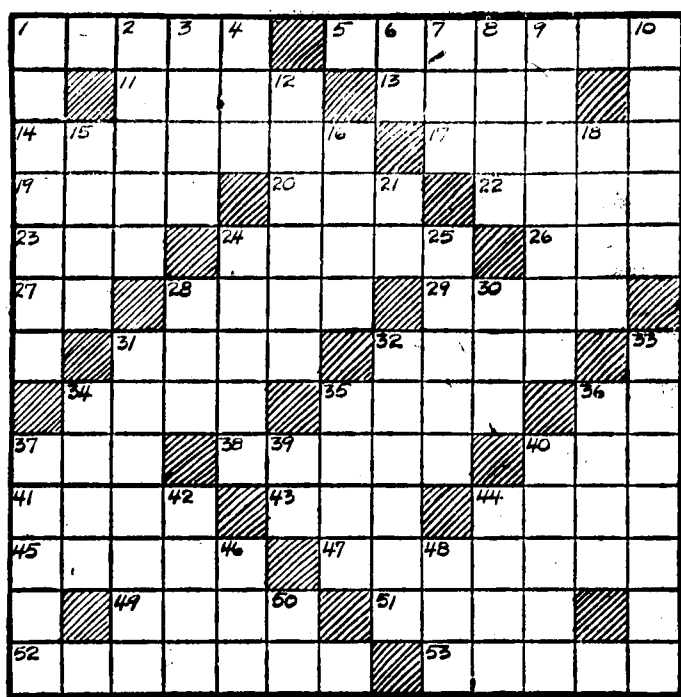
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 portance may be found and all the  
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 seek its quiet atmosphere for read-  
 ing, while others have no other  
 place where they can read in com-  
 fort.

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 ligious and educational life of the  
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 ments on the building. It was  
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 clude an item to the amount of  
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 voted several months ago for the  
 purpose of making some needed re-  
 pairs on the building. These re-  
 pairs are now being completed  
 and among them will be found a  
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 the damage to the building from  
 rains in future. When the repairs  
 are completed the building will be  
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## Today's Cross-Word Puzzle



**HORIZONTAL.**  
 1—cognizant  
 5—an ill omen  
 11—tie  
 13—plantation  
 14—inundated  
 17—a tree  
 19—put to flight  
 20—blend  
 22—laborer  
 23—skill  
 24—danger  
 26—pole  
 27—you  
 29—ditch  
 29—particle  
 31—the morning  
 32—goad  
 34—trust  
 35—at that time  
 36—a syllable denoting hesitation  
 37—conquered  
 38—puffer  
 40—back  
 41—head coverings  
 43—aged

**VERTICAL.**  
 1—fights  
 2—almost  
 3—tumult  
 4—finish  
 6—from  
 7—batter  
 8—snare  
 9—sovereign  
 10—incense  
 12—to debate  
 15—learning  
 16—earth  
 18—a machine for weaving  
 21—eleven (Roman figures)  
 24—small openings  
 25—part of a coat  
 28—swab  
 30—yat  
 31—Western state  
 32—screened  
 33—pertaining to the forehead  
 34—trick  
 35—relate  
 36—Ireland  
 37—puppy  
 39—toward  
 40—liberated  
 42—narrow opening  
 44—fender  
 46—child  
 48—pinch  
 50—north latitude (abbr.)

Herewith is solution to yester-  
 day's puzzle.

HERO VOW OPAL  
 ALAR ADA GAME  
 RAM ARIL IRIS  
 ENERGY LAVERS  
 SEE LOWED  
 SEED POOLS IF  
 HAS DOWNS DOR  
 ER ROPES DENY  
 SLEMUPAL  
 ISABEL DEMISE  
 CAME ADET VAN  
 EVIL COL HELD  
 SEAS EYE ARTS

## IS THERE NO RELIEF FROM SKIN TORTURE?

### Must I Continue to Suffer the Unbearable Itching?

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 ates who are going through life  
 suffering with a skin disease, mak-  
 ing you uncomfortable, making you  
 less efficient, interfering with your  
 working hours, ruining your sleep?  
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 sample stalk of Delfos cotton, with  
 its 220 odd bolls, which has been  
 on display at the Chamber of Com-  
 merce for some weeks, that this  
 particular variety would win the  
 first prize for the highest yield this  
 year among Texas farmers.

F. H. Littleton, of Wilbarger county,  
 produced more than twelve  
 bales of cotton on five acres of in-  
 irrigated land planted with Delfos  
 seed. Incidentally he won \$250.00  
 from the Dallas News for his  
 achievement.

Henry Gentry, County Agent, and  
 Roy Christian, Secretary of the Cor-  
 sicana Chamber of Commerce, were  
 attending the banquet of 450 farm-  
 ers and business men in Dallas the  
 other night when details of the con-  
 test were announced. When it was  
 explained that Delfos had won the  
 principal money, Henry Gentry quick-  
 ly suggested that the small quanti-  
 ty of sample Delfos seed which he  
 had on hand at the Chamber of  
 Commerce and already promised to  
 some of the Navarro county farm-  
 ers, had better be put in a safety  
 vault.

**Prize-Winning Cotton.**  
 The prize-winning variety, of  
 which a sample stalk may be seen  
 at the Chamber of Commerce, was  
 originated at the Stoneville Experi-  
 ment Station a branch of the Mis-  
 sissippi Experiment Station. It is  
 considered a very prolific bearer  
 with a good staple.

Delfos was not the only variety  
 which made such remarkable show-  
 ing in the 1926 contest. While it is  
 admitted that a good seed is essen-  
 tial to record production, the ex-  
 perts point out that the principal  
 virtue is in the method.

The local representatives at the  
 Cotton Banquet were impressed with  
 the attention which was given to  
 the new slogan of "Diversifica-  
 tion, Rotation, and Profit." It was  
 striking that at this great cotton  
 banquet, which drew men from all  
 parts of Texas, that many of the  
 speakers declared that cotton  
 meant little on the farm unless it  
 was produced at a profit, and un-  
 less every farm followed the "cav-  
 sow and hen" policy.

Elbert Gentry, of Tyler, who is  
 credited with being the County  
 Agent behind more winnings than  
 any other agent in Texas, is a  
 brother of the Navarro County  
 Agent.

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**FOR SALE—Full blood Rhode Island Red  
 pullets. Of good laying strain. Phone  
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 miles south of Barry, about 25 acres in  
 cultivation. Balance timber. Good school,  
 right; a good buy. Alexander Melton, Barry,  
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**FOR SALE OR TRADE—50 acres of land,  
 three miles from Corsicana, Texas, prac-  
 tically all in cultivation. Good school, im-  
 proved, near school and on rural route at  
 bargain. J. M. Harvard, Navarro, Tex.  
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 good condition. See Harry Benson at N. L.  
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 wards of \$500.00 per month steady. On-  
 ly responsible men of good report will be  
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 tion give full information about yourself  
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**WHOLESALE HOUSES**  
**NAME OFFICERS FOR**  
**YEAR LATE TUESDAY**

That the past year was a good  
 year in local trade territory and  
 that the coming year will also be a  
 good business year is the sentiment  
 that prevails among local whole-  
 salers, as evidenced by reports  
 made at the annual meeting of  
 stockholders of some of these con-  
 cerns Tuesday night, when officers  
 were elected for the ensuing year  
 and reports made on the business  
 of the firms during the past year,  
 with references also made to pros-  
 pects for the ensuing year.

**Southern Wholesale Gro. Co.**  
 Annual meeting of stockholders  
 of Southern Wholesale Grocery  
 Company, was held at the office of  
 the Company on Tuesday evening.  
 A statement submitted, covering  
 seven and one-half months, opera-  
 tion from the middle of May to  
 December 31st, was considered  
 very satisfactory, especially so  
 when taken together with the con-  
 ditions of business for the year.

Directors elected for the ensuing  
 year were: J. Harris Ransom, R.  
 L. Wheelock, R. D. Fleming, H. R.  
 Stroube, C. R. Terry, J. H. Sullivan,  
 W. D. Nolen.

Officers elected for the new year  
 were: J. Harris Ransom, presi-  
 dent; R. Loyd Wheelock, vice presi-  
 dent; Jno. H. Sullivan, secretary;  
 C. R. Terry, treasurer.

**Central Texas Grocery Co.**  
 The annual meeting of the stock-  
 holders of Central Texas Grocery  
 Company was held Tuesday night  
 for the purpose of hearing annual  
 report of the business from the of-  
 ficers and also for the election of  
 officers and directors for the ensu-  
 ing year and hearing plans for the  
 future growth of the business. Re-  
 ports on the Corsicana house and  
 the Mexia house were made. This  
 company operating in both cities.  
 Business was most satisfactory dur-  
 ing the past year and another good  
 year is anticipated.

Officers elected were as follows:  
 W. M. Wilson, president; J. L. Hal-  
 bert, first vice president; J. P.  
 Stubbs, second vice-president; Low-  
 ry Martin, third vice-president; G.  
 E. Mitchell, secretary, and J. S. Cal-  
 lison, treasurer. The list of offi-  
 cers includes the entire board of  
 directors of the company.

**Other Firms Elect Later.**  
 The Fortson Wholesale Grocery  
 Company will hold their annual  
 meeting on Thursday and the  
 Stroud-Dockum Company meets  
 Wednesday but their annual meet-  
 ing and election of officers takes  
 place in July, it was stated. It is  
 understood that all the wholesale  
 houses have had a good year and  
 are expecting a good year's business  
 during the coming year.

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**Hatchery**

We have our Hatchery running now and would  
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 not have the eggs, we have Barred Rocks,  
 Rhode Island Reds, Silver Laced Wyandottes  
 and White Leghorns from flocks that have  
 egg records over two hundred eggs. We will  
 be glad to sell you baby chickens from above  
 or sell you the eggs and hatch them for you.  
 Come by and let us show you our machine and  
 thorough bred stock. Will be glad to talk to  
 you if not interested in raising more and bet-  
 ter poultry, would do you no harm anyway.  
 We are loading two car hens this week and for  
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## MAN UNDER TWO LIFE SENTENCES GRANTED PARDON

CHARGED WITH HAVING  
KILLED AGED MAN AND  
LATER ANOTHER MAN

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—Declaring "there never has been a pardon issued" to a convict from Bexar county that did not bear the endorsement of most, if not all, of the officials of the county, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Wednesday rebuked Bexar county court officials for their agreement Tuesday to try no more criminal cases until after she goes out of office January 18.

District Attorney C. M. Chambers "cites the instance of one man who was convicted and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary just two weeks ago, and states that the party has been pardoned," Governor Ferguson said.

"I suppose Mr. Chambers refers to the case of Austin Ellis, who was recently convicted of theft and was pardoned by me. It will be interesting to know that the pardon was issued to a boy 18 years of age, and upon recommendation of the jury and others."

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—Prayers of two women who had married Emmet Vestal, that his life be saved, have been more than answered. Two weeks ago, Governor Miriam A. Ferguson committed to life imprisonment the death sentence passed on Vestal for having killed a man at Dallas in 1917. Today she granted Vestal a full pardon, giving as her reason that Vestal was insane when the slaying occurred.

Vestal was declared insane after having been convicted, but escaped in 1918 from the hospital for the insane, going to St. Louis where he married and became the father of six children. He left St. Louis and married again. Upon his return to St. Louis a few months ago he was arrested and returned to Texas, to be found sane and the death sentence reimposed. His two wives agreed on wishing his life saved, and the second wife said she would step aside in favor of the first and the children.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—Edd Goss of Denton and Harris county, under two life sentences on conviction of murder, has been given a full pardon by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, the Secretary of State's records Wednesday revealed.

Goss was first convicted of the slaying of an aged man with whom he was traveling. He was sentenced to life imprisonment. Later, after he is alleged to have escaped from the penitentiary, he was convicted of killing a man in Humble and driving his car away.

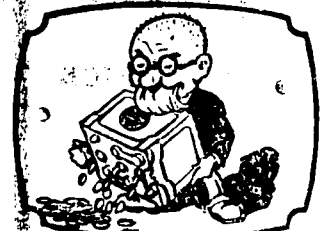
Governor Ferguson has not yet released the proclamation giving details of the case and her reasons for clemency.

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## MEXICO OFFICIALS DENY COUNTRY IN STATE OF REVOLT

REBELS REPORTED KILLED  
IN RECAPTURE OF TOWNS  
BY FEDERAL TROOPS

By Associated Press.

Mexico City, Jan. 12.—Special dispatches from Guadalajara state that 26 rebels were killed when federal troops recaptured the town of Coacala, Arandon and Totolan in the State of Jalisco. The towns, military headquarters reported, were taken by the rebels a few days ago.

(Dispatches from Guadalajara yesterday said that 21 persons were killed and 10 wounded in a clash between Catholics and the municipal authorities in the town of Coacala, the mayor and a local deputy being among those killed.)

General Miguel Pina, under-secretary of war, today declared that the present revolutionary activities do not offer a military problem. He said that the uprisings were sporadic and unconnected and added that the fact that a small number of men were destroying railway bridges and tracks in various sections of Mexico does not indicate a serious military situation.

Episcopate Held Responsible.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 12.—The Mexican Catholic Episcopate is accused of responsibility for recent Catholic uprisings in Mexico under the banner "Long Live Christ the King" in a statement issued today by the officials of President Calles.

The statement declares that the Mexican government is convinced that the rebels are acting under specific instructions from the Episcopate and that orders have been issued to punish energetically clergymen guilty of inciting to rebellion.

The Catholic Episcopate of Mexico City "with the knowledge that international relations with the United States would be severely strained or unfavorably modified beginning January 1, showing that they still are traitors to the country," ordered the Catholic clergy to induce the largest possible number of men to revolt against the Mexican government, the statement says.

Reviewing "Catholic rebellious activities," since January 1, the statement declares that the clergymen's efforts have failed except in a few states.

The statement charges that the clergymen's activities resulted in revolt in six states and in the death of 21 Federal soldiers and 75 Catholic insurgents. In one case a letter signed by Rene Capistran Garza, reported provisional president of a "new Mexican government," was found on the body of a rebel.

Bishop Diaz Disappears.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 12.—Bishop Pascual Diaz of Tabasco, who was arrested Monday, apparently has vanished in thin air.

All traces of him have been lost since he was taken by the police to the Department of the Interior on Monday morning, but the fact that he sent home later for a suit case has confirmed the belief that he is being deported.

According to Angel Torres, secretary to the Bishop, the prelate was escorted by ten police agents in a motor car to Telexpan, a few miles outside of the city, where he boarded a Vera Cruz train in the company of two policemen.

Dispatches from Vera Cruz say that the immigration authorities there claim to have no knowledge of deportation proceedings against the Bishop and a careful examination failed to discover the prelate aboard the steamer Cuba when it sailed for Havana.

The Department of the Interior has stated that it has no connection with the arrest of the Bishop and that it has no knowledge of his whereabouts, believing him quietly at home.

The general opinion is that Bishop Diaz will next be heard from at some border point the same as General Alvaro Robles Higuera, who disappeared a few weeks ago under similar circumstances and then showed up at Laredo a few days later.

Seven Rebels Hanged.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 12.—Seven rebels have been hanged near Ajusco within the Federal district near Mexico City. Travelers arriving from Ajusco say their bodies were left dangling from trees near the road as a government warning.

Women! Defeat Your Ills!

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## EFFORT TO FORCE COMMITTEE REPORT NEXT FRIDAY FAILS

HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS  
AMONG NOMINATIONS SENT  
TO SENATE WEDNESDAY

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—Victory for the forces of Governor-elect Dan Moody was seen today when the Senate refused to force the committee on Governor's nominations to report Friday on Governor Miriam A. Ferguson's recess nominations.

The action of the Senate gives opportunity for members of the committee unfriendly to the Ferguson appointees to delay the report on nominations until after Tuesday when Moody will be sworn in and a new list of governor's appointees submitted soon after.

By Associated Press.

Austin, Jan. 12.—Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Wednesday submitted to the Senate the present Highway Commissioners and other officers for confirmation.

A motion to require the Commission on nominations to report Friday at 11 o'clock on the nominees, introduced by Wirtz, was tabled 15 to 14, after Lieutenant-Governor Barry Miller had voted "aye."

Nominees are, Highway Commissioners, Chairman, Eugene T. Smith of San Antonio; George P. Robertson, Meridian, and Scott Woodward, Fort Worth; State Labor Commissioner, Miss Fannie Daniels, Austin; Judge on the Commission of Appeals, Lamar Bethea, Bryan; Judge 32nd District, Fritz R. Smith, Scurry county; Judge 56th District, Charles Dibrell, Galveston; Judge 82nd District, E. M. Dodson, Falls county; District Attorney 72nd District, L. A. Howard, Lubbock county.

A spirited fight developed immediately after Wirtz introduced his resolution.

The House does not convene today until 2 p. m.

## CRIMINAL DOCKET OF COUNTY COURT FOR JANUARY TERM

The following criminal cases are set for the January term of the County Court, Navarro County, Texas, commencing Monday, January 17th, 1927:

Monday, January 17th.  
No. 10361—State of Texas vs. Odell Brent.  
No. 10362—State of Texas vs. Steve Scroggins.  
No. 10363—State of Texas vs. Itha Fox.  
No. 10364—State of Texas vs. H. C. Miller.  
No. 10365—State of Texas vs. McKinley Johnson.  
No. 10366—State of Texas vs. Sampson Benjamin.  
No. 10367—State of Texas vs. Cynthia Morgan.

Thursday, Jan. 20th.  
No. 10345—State of Texas vs. Norman Barnett.  
No. 10328—State of Texas vs. J. A. Turnbo.  
No. 10172—State of Texas vs. Delia Morris.  
No. 10354—State of Texas vs. Lillie Cook.  
No. 10351—State of Texas vs. Neal Edens.  
No. 10238—State of Texas vs. Elijah Warren.  
No. 10331—State of Texas vs. Cornelius Carroll.

Monday, January 31st.  
No. 10353—State of Texas vs. Horace Cavitt.  
No. 10352—State of Texas vs. Earnest Cavitt.  
No. 10344—State of Texas vs. Isaac Smart.  
No. 10286—State of Texas vs. Bob Davis.  
No. 10283—State of Texas vs. Thornton King.  
No. 10192—State of Texas vs. Le Roy French.  
No. 10254—State of Texas vs. Bob Palmer.  
No. 10335—State of Texas vs. C. H. Sprinkle.  
No. 10281—State of Texas vs. Jesse Hardy.

The above cases will be called on the respective dates and all defendants and attorneys will take due notice of this setting.

CLEO G. MILLER,  
Asst. Co. Atty.  
WARREN HICKS,  
County Judge.

## RETAIL MERCHANTS WOULD BRING STATE CONVENTION HERE

"Bring the 1928 retail merchants convention to Corsicana" is the war cry of the members of the Corsicana Retail Merchants Association. The local chapter had a call meeting Monday evening in the Chamber of Commerce building and discussed the possibilities pro and con in connection with other questions having arisen among the merchants to be acted upon.

T. J. Walton, who was the principal speaker, read a letter from the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Port Arthur, who had taken care of a convention there in 1927. Walton stated that the local chapter had a call meeting Monday evening in the Chamber of Commerce building and discussed the possibilities pro and con in connection with other questions having arisen among the merchants to be acted upon.

A committee was appointed to meet with the board of directors of the local Chamber of Commerce at the next meeting to present the

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\$35.00 Value for .... \$23.95  
\$40.00 Value for .... \$26.95  
\$45.00 Value for .... \$29.95

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\$30.00 Value for .... \$19.95  
\$35.00 Value for .... \$24.60  
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Entire stock of childrens coats must be closed out.

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\$10.75 to \$12.95 value \$6.95  
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\$6.95 Value for ..... \$3.95  
\$3.95 Value for ..... \$2.65

### Ladies and Childrens Winter Hats

Ladies Velvet and Childrens Velvet and Velour Hats, values to \$25.00  
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**\$1.00**

### MENS SHOES

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In tan and black, kid and calf, \$7.50 value  
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### LADIES COATS

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\$2.00 Value for . \$1.49  
\$2.50 Value for . \$1.65  
\$5.00 Value for . \$3.25  
\$5.50 Value for . \$3.50

### BLANKETS

\$17.50 Value for ... \$11.75  
\$16.50 Value for ... \$9.95  
\$15.00 Value for ... \$9.65  
\$12.50 Value for ... \$8.95  
\$8.00 Value for .... \$5.95  
\$7.50 Value for .... \$4.95  
\$6.95 Value for .... \$3.95  
\$4.00 Value for .... \$2.95  
\$3.75 Value for .... \$2.65  
\$3.50 Value for .... \$2.65  
\$3.00 Value for .... \$2.10  
\$1.50 Value for .... \$1.05

### COMFORTS

15.00 Cotton-filled .. \$8.95  
\$8.50 Cotton-filled .. \$4.95  
\$7.50 Cotton-filled .. \$4.65  
\$7.00 Cotton-filled .. \$4.65  
\$6.50 Cotton-filled .. \$4.15  
\$5.50 Cotton-filled .. \$4.15  
\$4.00 Cotton-filled .. \$2.49  
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at various conventions in the past why we did not bring the next convention to Corsicana. I told them that we did not have the hotel facilities," he explained. "And we didn't have them. But I think we can provide for them now with the new hotels that have been built here then." The speaker explained that every city that has grown to any extent without natural facilities have done so by bringing conventions to that city.

Two other matters were discussed and acted on favorably. One was to appoint a legislative committee to represent the Retail Merchants Association at the meeting of the State Legislature which convenes

soon. They are Fred White, J. F. Flanken and J. T. Newsum. The other was that all merchants receiving bad checks shall send the name of the giver of the check and the amount to Secretary Fred White and he would furnish each member of the Association with the name of the giver of the bad check to any extent without natural facilities have done so by bringing conventions to that city.

**Cotton Belt Uses  
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Tyler, Texas, Jan. 11.—Considering the best interests of the cotton

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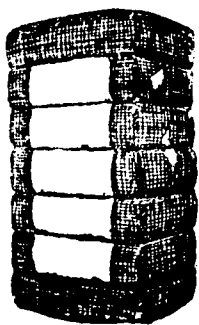
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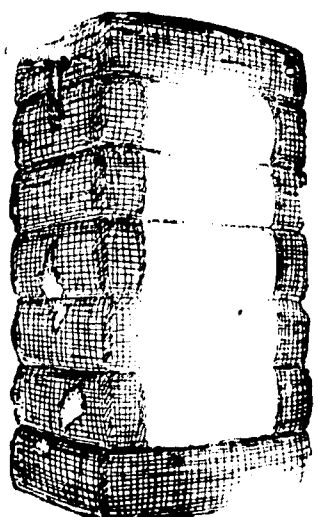


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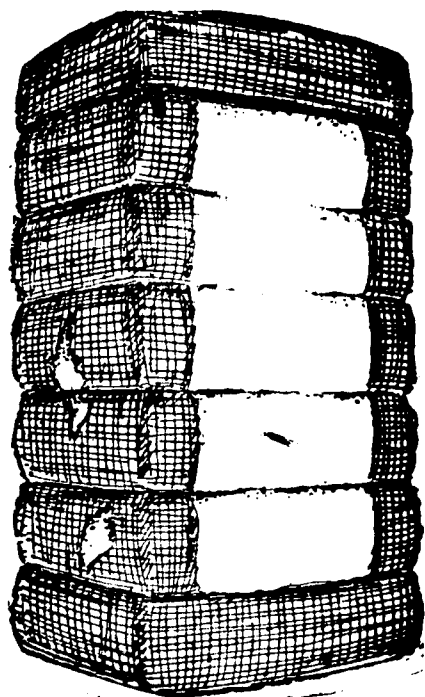
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## COUNTY NEWS

### BLOOMING GROVE.

Special to the Sun.

Blooming Grove, Texas, Jan. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. D. Badgett went to Athens Saturday and returned Sunday.

E. L. Meador has returned from Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Frank Taylor and son Frank, Jr., Fort Worth are the guests of Mrs. G. W. Corley.

Mr. and Mrs. Beauford Harris have returned to Las Cruces, N. M., after a visit to Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Harris.

Mrs. G. W. Pruitt and Mrs. L. L. Griffith were recent visitors to Livingston.

Miss Frances Huffstutter spent last week end in Corsicana the guest of Mrs. Turner Mac Garner.

Mrs. Ed Melton is in a sanitarium in Corsicana where she has undergone an operation. Her friends are glad to hear that she is improving.

Mrs. W. A. High spent last week end in Waco with her sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Woodward, Mrs. P. H. Woodward and daughter, Martha, were recent visitors to Waco.

W. E. Huffstutter was transacting business in Dallas Tuesday.

Will Roy High and J. W. Spivey visited the aunt and sister, Mrs. Jack Franks in Waco Sunday.

C. L. Boswell has gone on a business trip to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Woodward and daughter, Martha and Mrs. S. W. Woodward, were in Dallas Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Johnston, Mrs. R. W. George and Mrs. R. D. George were in Waco last week attending a meeting of the Baptist church.

Miss Marjorie Corley with her grandmother, Mrs. L. I. Taylor have gone to California, where they expect to remain for some time. Mrs. Marjorie has entered a school there.

### RICE

Special to the Sun.

Rice, Texas, Jan. 13.—The farmers in this section have been very busy the past few pretty days sowing oats and preparing their land for another crop.

T. A. Scott was stricken suddenly last Saturday morning with apoplexy. He has been unconscious since, and his condition is considered critical.

B. H. Clark who has been confined to his room for several weeks on account of a bad case of eye trouble, is some better.

J. W. South, who travels for the Mount City Paint Co., has recently been informed by his company that he was winner in a contest recently conducted between the salesmen for his firm and was awarded first prize of \$25. Mr. South lead all salesmen in America, and his sales were more than five times the amount of the quota assigned him. He will leave this week to visit the factory at St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McCarter of Corsicana spent several days here the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. B. H. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McKay and children of Wolf City spent the week end here with Mrs. McKay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. U. Neal.

T. U. Neal returned to Sudan Monday where he will look after his farming interests.

Mrs. W. D. Haynie who has been seriously ill for the past several weeks, continues very ill, but is said to be improving slightly.

Mrs. Scott Sessions of Kendrick, Okla., is here at the bedside of her brother, T. A. Scott.

Jim Scott of Santa Anna is here this week with his brother, T. A. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Afton Scott, of Wert, Okla., came in Sunday to be with Mr. Scott's father, T. A. Scott, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born to them Wednesday morning. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

### DAWSON.

Special to the Sun.

Dawson, Texas, Jan. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson and children, George and Ernest, Jr., moved the latter part of last week to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Seale of Corsicana and Mrs. C. H. Carroll of Waxahachie visited relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCulloch, Miss Frances McCulloch and John L. McCulloch, Jr., were Corsicana visitors Sunday afternoon.

O. S. Matthews of Venus was a Dawson visitor Tuesday.

Clarence Bankston of Houston spent several days of last week here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Sims and daughter, Mary Belle, were Corsicana visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence Broughton of Hearne visited relatives here last week.

J. F. Smith was a Malakoff visitor Saturday.

E. F. Trantham of Moody was in the city Tuesday.

Rev. W. T. Boulware and family of Hico were in the city Monday.

Mrs. S. V. McCage of Corsicana visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Nelson Saturday and Sunday.

G. W. Carlton of Hillsboro was a Dawson visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Edwards visited relatives in Corsicana Sunday.

J. H. Farmer was a Corsicana visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dawson were Waco visitors Thursday.

### EMHOUSE

Special to the Sun.

Emhouse, Texas, Jan. 13.—The farmers here have been taking advantage of the fair weather to begin breaking land and many of them are sowing oats. It is expected that there will be more grain planted than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Worsham have moved into their new home. They have rooms with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stokes.

Messrs. Hugh Dickerson, Grey Bennett, Tom Bennett, and Cloud

Maggard left last week for South Okla., where they will seek employment in the oil field.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hall and son, James Lloyd were Rice visitors Monday.

Fred and Neely Gullett were Howard visitors last week.

Mrs. G. G. Owen is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Boyd of White's Chapel this week.

Miss Lizzie Byrd spent the week end at home in Corsicana.

Miss Betty Hobbs went to her home in Alma for the week end.

Grandpa Miller of Athens visited his daughter, Mrs. W. C. Bakstov last week.

Mrs. J. W. Kaykendall came home last week from Dallas where she underwent an operation at the Baylor hospital.

Mrs. Lee Hearn is quite sick this week.

Mrs. O. L. Elkins is suffering with a sprained arm and shoulder, caused by a fall Sunday morning. While the sprain is not considered serious it is proving very painful.

Pauline Elkins has been quite ill the past few days with an attack of appendicitis. She is better at this writing.

Clemons Fritchett left Monday for Wichita Falls where he is employed by the Magnolia company.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Montgomery and little granddaughter, Mary Ligne Owen, visited relatives in Blooming Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. King, and family, were Dresden visitors Friday.

Mrs. Hubert Brown has been quite sick with the flu but is somewhat improved at this time.

The local boys' basketball team played two exciting games here Friday afternoon. Chatfield and Rice were the opponents. Emhouse won over Chatfield but lost the game to Rice. The team is improving all the time and they expect to be winners in the future.

### FROST

Special to the Sun.

Frost, Texas, Jan. 13.—Miss Louise Risen of Corsicana spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Zona Risen.

Mrs. J. M. Tullis and daughter, Josephine, were the guest Sunday of her mother, Mrs. M. K. Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gerber spent Sunday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Stockard and son of Mertens were the guests Sunday of his mother, Mrs. W. M. Stockard.

Mrs. Sam Cumby was carried Friday to the hospital in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Chunn and son of Alvarado and Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Chum of Coolidge were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith and to be with their grandmother, Mrs. Williams, who was seriously sick and died Monday morning.

Rev. Waggoner of the M. E. Church of Blooming Grove filled the pulpit here Sunday, while Rev. Ditz preached at Blooming Grove.

Mrs. Estelle Skelton and son of Corsicana visited friends here Wednesday.

Miss O. Bowman returned home Wednesday from Dallas, where she had been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Jim E. Kelly of Kaufman

was the guest Thursday and Friday of Miss O. Bowman.

Teacher Bennett made a business trip to Corsicana Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Lowe and son, Ward, left Saturday for Albany, where they will make their future home. Their friends regret very much in giving up this family.

Miss Annie Spencer of Ennis was the guest Friday and Saturday of Mrs. J. M. Cole.

Miss Nellie Lattimore of Dawson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lattimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reed of Blooming Grove are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. M. Gover returned to her home in Jacksonville Friday, having spent the week with her brother, Mr. Lee Brithan and family.

Mr. C. C. Stephenson made a business trip to Corsicana and Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sheppard and children of Dallas were here Monday to attend the funeral of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Della Williams.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. D. Holland entertained with a progressive forty-two party in honor of Mrs. Joe Kioth, a recent bride. Five games of forty-two were played.

Mrs. S. L. Germany won high score and was presented with a beautiful hand painted handkerchief. Then a surprise came to the honoree, as little Elizabeth Ann Ivey came into the room and asked "What did you say?" Mrs. Kioth replied, "Nothing," she said, "I will give you some thing," and presented her with two large baskets loaded with gifts.

After the display of the gifts the hostess assisted by her mother, Mrs. T. F. Bennett served a delicious salad course.

Mrs. J. M. Cole entertained Friday afternoon with three tables of forty-two in honor of Mrs. Joe Kioth. High score was won by Mrs. Will Beck. She was given a hand-painted handkerchief. The honoree received a beautiful picture. The hostess was assisted by her mother in pouring tea to the following guests: Mesdames Jack and John Slay, Edgar Bowman, Clyde Smith, S. L. Germany, T. S. Hoover, Will Beck, Mary Bradley, J. D. Holland and Misses Ted Templeton of Boronia, Anna Maude Shaw and the honoree.

Mr. George Smith and son, Jerry, made a business trip to Ennis Friday.

Mr. Lee Williams left Thursday for a few days visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Messrs. Ed Patterson and Earnest Mitchell were in Waco Sunday to see Mr. T. B. Cagle, who is in the sanitarium.

T. H. Harrington and J. C. Beck were in Corsicana Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Cole was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Master Lewis Mahoney of Palmer spent the week end with Albert Baird and Mr. W. D. McCollum.

Mr. Raymond Holcomb returned to Dallas Sunday having spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Neese and baby daughter visited relatives in Dawson Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ivey were



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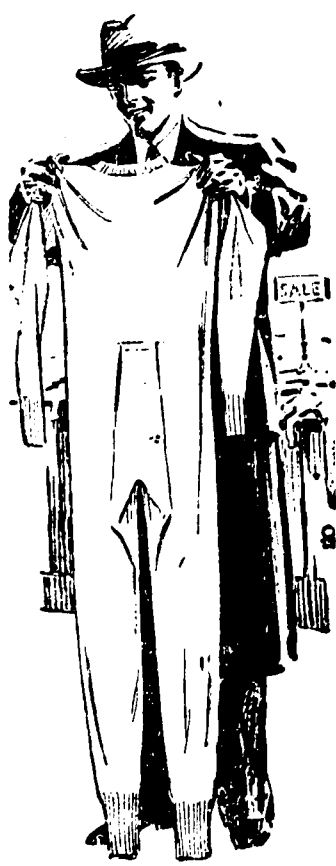
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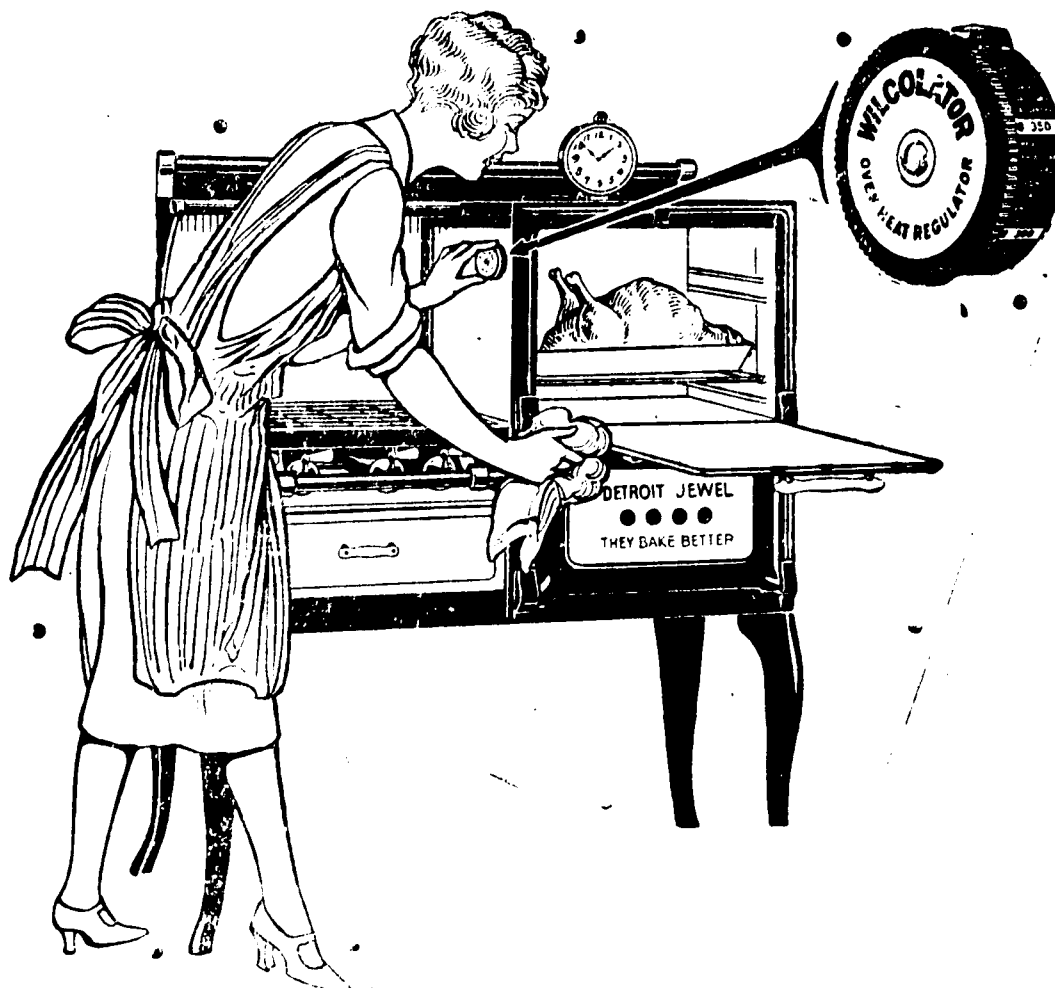
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## CORSICANA NATIONAL BANK OBSERVES 40TH ANNIVERSARY WITH ELABORATE BANQUET

In a setting of unusual brilliancy and beauty, the Corsicana National Bank gave its annual banquet Tuesday evening in commemoration of its 40th anniversary, in the ball room of the Navarro Hotel.

An informal reception was held in the ball room before the banquet. The guests, which included the stockholders, officials, directors and employees of the bank, and their families. The parlors were profusely decorated with potted plants, palm trees, cacti, and other tropical plants, which were placed around the room to advantage, and also large baskets of pineapples, oranges and small gifts on the tables.

The banquet hall presented a most attractive scene with the tables arranged to form the number "40," beautifully decorated for the occasion. A pink and green motif was developed throughout, by the use of potted, indoor begonias in deep rose pink, holders arranged down the center of the brightly appointed tables.

In the center of the north wall a miniature "ship sailing" on a lake of green, over which was suspended in green lettering on a pink background, an electrical display of "40 Anniversary, Corsicana National Bank," which signified the 40 years of calm sailing of this institution. Large kentea palms and other potted shrubbery placed between the windows, and the flowers filled wall vases added much to the elaborate scene. When all were seated Mr. C. E. Elliott, president of the bank, gave the invocation. Music was furnished during the banquet by Misses Elsie Wilson, Eleanor Latham and George Elliot.

**Special Menu Served.**  
The menu especially prepared for the occasion by Mr. N. W. Drummond, maître d' hotel, follows:

Oyster Cocktail  
Fruit Salad  
Half broiled chicken on toast.  
Snowflake potatoes, Petit pois peas in cases, Asparagus tips on toast.  
Salted nuts.  
Olives.  
Demi Tasse Coffee.  
Cremed d' Mousse.  
Cake.

After the last course had been served Mr. A. G. Elliott, president of the bank, as toast master, gave a most interesting resume of the past forty years of the bank. From the original charter of the bank, he read the names of the original stockholders all of whom are widely known and beloved and all of whom have passed on with the exception of two, our honored and much loved judges, J. M. Blanding, and Hon. L. L. Jester of Dallas.

Two selections were beautifully rendered by a quartette composed of Mrs. Horre Williams, Miss Dorothy Drane, Mr. Loyd Kerr and Mr.

## PROMINENT WHITE CITIZENS AGREE TO SERVE ON BOARD

### WILL ACT IN ADVISORY CAPACITY FOR COLORED CHRISTIAN COUNCIL

The following article, which is self-explanatory, has been handed in to the Sun with the request that it be given publicity:

WHEREAS, there has been organized in the City of Corsicana a "CORSICANA COLORED CHRISTIAN COUNCIL," which is now being operated with A. Wright as President and A. Wright as general secretary, and

Whereas, the main purpose of this Council is to instill truth, honesty, hard work and clean sports among the young colored people of Corsicana and this vicinity, and

Whereas, we now have enrolled in said council thirty-one colored boys and sixteen colored girls between the ages of twelve and sixteen who are active members, and

Whereas, we are striving for an active membership of at least two hundred. We now have a public library of about two thousand volumes which is accessible to all the colored people of this town and vicinity. We now have thirty-one young boys receiving scout training and sixteen colored girls receiving Camp Fire training. We have two general get-together meetings for these children each week and one business meeting each month.

We also maintain and operate a free colored employment bureau procuring employment for cooks, maids, chauffeurs, yard boys, etc. We have a general Secretary who devotes his entire time to this work, he having direct control and supervision over the boys and his wife over the girls. The woman secretary is now giving free training and instruction to about fifteen small children between the ages of three to seven years, taking the place of what is commonly called kindergarten work.

This past Christmas, we brought cheer and Christmas greetings to forty-five colored children on Christmas day and in addition to various toys, candy, fruit, etc., there were distributed thirty pairs of shoes to boys and girls who were in need and we now have in our possession between thirty and forty pairs of shoes and other useful articles, worthy, and deserving colored children.

Our general purpose in organizing and maintaining this colored Christian Council is to endeavor to do, in our limited way, for the colored children of Corsicana and vicinity, what the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A., Boy Scouts organization, Camp Fire Girls organization, Red Cross, Salvation Army, etc., do for the white children, and

WHEREAS, we realize that we have not had as much experience in

this line and in the management and control of such organizations as our white friends, we are very desirous of securing a Board of Advisors composed of some of the leading white professional and business men of Corsicana to assist us merely in an advisory capacity in carrying on our charity work in this city and vicinity.

We would like to have as many as 11 members of this board and if such a number will consent to serve in this capacity, the undersigned, as representatives of the Corsicana Colored Christian Council, believe that they can aid us very materially in carrying out our purposes.

G. SPRINGFIELD,  
President.

A. WRIGHT,  
General Secretary,  
Corsicana Colored Christian Council.

We, the undersigned white people of Corsicana, having had the above message and request placed before us and having observed some of the work of the Corsicana Colored Christian Council and realizing the need of such an active organization among the colored people, hereby consent to have our names placed upon the Advisory Board as requested, and trust that we may be of some service to these people in carrying on their proposed work.

PAUL J. MERRILL,  
T. P. McLENDON, M. D.,  
JAS. L. PATTERSON,  
FRED UPCHURCH,  
W. A. TARVER,  
C. T. BANISTER,  
J. T. NEWSOM,  
GEORGE E. JESTER,  
SYDNEY MARKS,  
J. HOWARD WILLIAMS,  
JAMES N. GARITY.

## WOMAN DIED HERE SUNDAY NIGHT; IS BURIED MIDLOTHIAN

Funeral services for Mrs. Marie Simmons, aged 39 years, of Richland, who died in the Navarro County Hospital Sunday night at 10 o'clock, were held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Midlothian. The remains were buried in Midlothian.

The funeral cortege left Corsicana at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Surviving are her husband, J. T. Simmons of Richland, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Dillard of Midlothian.

## South Dakota Man Is Bar Treasurer

By Associated Press.  
Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 13.—John H. Voorhees, of Sioux Falls, S. D., was elected treasurer of the American Bar Association to succeed late F. E. Wadhams, Albany, N. Y., in a meeting of the executive committee of the organization here today.

## CORSICANA BANKS ELECT OFFICERS FOR YEAR LATE TUESDAY

### ALL INSTITUTIONS REPORT PAST YEAR'S BUSINESS SATISFACTORY

The stockholders in four of the five banks in Corsicana have held their annual meetings and elected directors and officers for the ensuing year. All of them have reported a most successful year and are very optimistic over the prospects for 1927. The State National bank stockholders met several days ago and the annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State bank will be held Wednesday afternoon. The following banks held elections Tuesday:

**First National Bank.**  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank was held Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Directors for the ensuing year were elected and they in turn elected the officers.

J. N. Edens, president of the bank, said the past year had been a most successful one, and that prospects for 1927 were very bright.

Following are the officers and directors as elected Tuesday: J. N. Edens, president; Chas. H. Mills, vice president; A. M. Milligan, vice president; Mrs. Kate H. Whiteselle, vice president; R. L. Hamilton, cashier; Isaac Levy, assistant cashier; E. N. Garity, assistant cashier; E. T. Lindsey, assistant cashier; Chas. H. Mills, J. N. Edens, Mrs. Kate H. Whiteselle, J. L. Whiteselle, A. M. Milligan, R. L. Hamilton, C. S. Stroud, C. N. Garity, J. D. Cunningham, C. A. Tatum, directors.

C. A. Tatum is a newly elected member of the board of directors. All other officers and directors were re-elected.

**Corsicana National Bank.**  
The officers and directors of the Corsicana National Bank were re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders held at the bank Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. H. R. Stroube was elected as a new member of the board of directors.

Following are the officers and directors as elected at the meeting: J. B. Fortson, chairman of the board; A. G. Elliott, president; C. R. Terry, vice president and cashier; H. G. Johnston, vice president; John T. Fortson, vice president; Sam H. Shy, assistant cashier; N. T. Champion, assistant cashier; H. D. Williams, assistant cashier; J. H. Brown, assistant cashier; J. B. Fortson, J. S. Eubank, C. H. DeLafosse, Mrs. W. D. Haynie, C. R. Terry, R. D. Fleming, H. G. Johnston, A. H. Kerr, B. Tinkle, W. M. Peck, A. G. Elliott, John T. Fortson, R. L. Wheelock and H. R. Stroube, directors.

It was stated that the bank had enjoyed a successful year and that they were expecting 1927 to be a prosperous one.

Following the election of the officers and transaction of other business a banquet was given the stockholders, officers, directors and employees at the Navarro Hotel.

**Central State Bank.**  
All officers and directors of the Central State Bank were re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the bank.

Officials of the bank stated that the past year was a most successful one and that prospects for a prosperous new year were much brighter than 60 or 90 days ago.

Following are the officers and directors: Chris. L. Knox, president; Dr. W. T. Shell, vice president; W. H. Findley, active vice president; G. C. Kent, vice president; Wm. J. Rochelle, cashier; Roy J. Leeds, assistant cashier; J. S. Callicott, chairman of the board; W. M. Wilson, J. E. Rittersbacher, W. M. Thompson, J. H. Collins, W. T. Shell, W. H. Findley, G. C. Kent, Chris. L. Knox and C. J. Knox, directors.

**National Farm Loan Ass'n.**  
The stockholders of the Farmers National Farm Loan Association of Corsicana held their annual meeting Tuesday afternoon. This association has had one of the best years in its history and declared a substantial dividend. Joe Sands, secretary, stated that he did not have a delinquent member.

Officers and directors were elected as follows: T. J. Garner, president; L. B. Wheeler, vice president; Joe Sands, secretary; Dave McMillan, L. B. Wheeler, W. W. Swafford, T. C. McMullan, and T. J. Garner, directors.

**National Farm Loan Association.**  
At a meeting of the stockholders of the Corsicana National Farm Loan Association held Tuesday directors and officers were elected for the coming year. A substantial dividend was also declared.

Following are the officers and directors as elected Tuesday: C. H. DeLafosse, president; J. L. Marshall, ice pres.; J. Y. Roberts, secretary-treasurer; C. H. DeLafosse, J. L. Marshall, C. W. Reagan, R. F. Shaw and E. E. Tramel, directors. Dr. Shaw was elected to take the place of L. L. Brown, deceased.

**COURT HOUSE NEWS.**  
From Tuesday's Daily:

**District Clerk's Office.**  
The following cases were filed: Ada Hall Elliott vs. C. E. Upchurch, et al, trespass to try title.

**Tax Collector's Office.**  
George W. Boyd, tax collector, stressed Tuesday the importance of registering automobiles before February 1 to avoid the 25 per cent penalty. He stated that those registering their automobiles after February 1 would be required to give an affidavit to the effect that they had not operated the car on the streets of a town or a public highway since January 1. Some are of the opinion that they can take an affidavit from February 1 that they have not operated their

**Mineral Deeds.**  
John T. Fortson, et ux, to Eugenia L. McKibban, 1-16th royalty in 8 acres of the T. J. Chambers survey, \$100.

**Births.**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hays, Purdon, January 8, a son.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Naughton, Dallas, December 25, a son.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brainer, Kereys January 4, a son.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stout Christman, Kereys 3, December 28, a son.

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**DOCKET FOR THIRD WEEK OF DISTRICT COURT ANNOUNCED**

Following is the setting for the third week of the January Term of the district court for the week beginning Monday, Jan. 17:

**Monday, January 17th:**  
13451. Enoch North, et al, vs. W. S. North.  
13417. A. W. King, et al, vs. City of Corsicana.  
14093. Luey Manufacturing Corporation of Texas vs. McDonald Bros., et al.  
14326. J. A. Thompson vs. James Stone company, et al.  
14387. George A. Duren vs. Bruce Fields, et ux.  
**Wednesday, January 19th:**  
14252. Guy Chapman, et al, vs. D. W. Ray, et al.  
14253. Guy Chapman, et al, vs. Kereys National Bank, garnishee.  
14251. Guy Chapman, et al, vs. First National Bank of Kereys, garnishee.  
13992. Ralph A. Beaton, et al vs. J. E. Erwin, et al.  
13925. Texas Paint Products company vs. C. H. McDonald, et al.  
14976. John W. Southall vs. Clemmie Adams, et al.  
**Friday, January 21st:**  
14304. Gussie Wilson, et al, vs. Mattie E. Pullin, et al.  
14389. Mrs. Mary Cunningham vs. Powell Salt Water company, vs. Powell Salt Water company, et al.  
14489. Jay Larrimore vs. J. V. Howell, et al.  
14526. W. R. B. Toll company vs. Lang & Company.  
14940. Mrs. Ellis E. Fortson, et al, vs. James W. Johnson, et al.  
14941. Mrs. Mary Kate Clarkson, et al, vs. James W. Johnson, et al.

**NEGRO HAS NARROW ESCAPE AS RESULT SEWER DITCH CAVEIN**

Shorty Stroud, negro, narrowly escaped death from suffocation Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock when a cave-in occurred in a ditch in which he was working in putting down a sewer line on West Twelfth avenue between the railroad spur to the Magnolia refinery and Cwentfourth street. The ditch was about 11 feet deep and about two feet wide, the dirt caving from almost top to bottom crushed him against the opposite wall leaving him in a standing position, which probably saved his life.

He was left in a position that formed a vacuum that furnished air enough to keep him alive until the two or three feet of dirt could be removed from over his head. Considerable more time was required to remove enough dirt to permit removal of his body. He was taken to the County Hospital, where he is reported resting well.

**Oil and Gas Leases.**  
Arter Hiron, et al, to Magnolia Petroleum company, 65 acres of the Rebecca Jennings and C. B. Edmunds surveys, \$325.  
C. E. Upchurch to C. A. Kelsey, 50 acres of the Thomas Bennett and T. J. Chambers surveys, \$750.  
C. E. Upchurch to Roy Jenkins, 100 acres of the Thomas Bennett and T. J. Chambers surveys, \$500.  
F. F. Blair, et ux, to A. C. Hervey, 105 1-2 acres of the T. J. Chambers survey, \$527.50.  
**Warranty Deeds.**  
S. C. McClesky, et al, to Melania J. Davis, 40 acres of the Navarro County School Land Patent, \$6,000.  
Mattie J. Knox, et vir, to L. B. Millam, 105-41 acres of the Jesse Annions One-Third League survey, \$12,500.  
T. M. Jones, et ux, to Mrs. M. H. Harward, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Block 11, Navarro, \$350.  
Frank Adams to Leroy Williams, part of Lot 6, Block 86, H. & T. C. R. R. Addition, Corsicana, \$275.  
T. M. Olson to Norman Chambers, et ux, 125 1-4 acres of the G. A. Davis survey, \$1 and other considerations.  
**Assignments.**  
C. A. Kelsey to Magnolia Petroleum company, 50 acres of the Thomas Bennett and T. J. Chambers surveys, \$1 and other considerations.  
Roy Jenkins to Magnolia Petroleum company, 100 acres of the Thomas Bennett and T. J. Chambers surveys, \$1 and other considerations.  
A. C. Hervey to Magnolia Petroleum company, 105 1-2 acres of the T. J. Chambers survey, \$10 and other considerations.

**What's worth buying is worth advertising.**

Today, it is thought that no bones were broken. He was employed by Azar & Gentry, contractors, who are putting down the additional sewer lines in Corsicana. No one else was caught in the cave-in, although several men were working in the ditch and near where the accident occurred.



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These prices apply also on  
Manhattan Pajamas.

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THE MANS SHOP

B. Y. P. U. at Kerens  
Elects Officers

Kerens, Texas, Jan. 12.—The Senior Intermediate B. Y. P. U. of the Kerens Baptist Church elected and installed officers for the new year Sunday. Lorraine Couch was elected president; Dora Bill Shaw, vice-president; Dessie Lee Barnett, secretary; Maxine Burt, pianist; Joe Arnett, reporter; Beatrice Crowley, and Allie Mae Breeding, group captains. Twenty-seven young people were present at the meeting when these new officers served their first time.

SETTING COUNTY  
COURT DOCKET FOR  
THIRD WEEK MADE

Following is the setting of the third week of the January Term of the county court for the week beginning Monday, January 17:  
Monday, January 17:  
4322—E. A. Foster vs. Kerens National Bank of Kerens, Texas.  
4438—W. C. Douglas vs. J. L. Cox.

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10 lbs. Shortening  
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**85c**

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**25c**

Coffee, Arbuckles, ground, lb.

**43c**

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DEFENDANT QUOTES  
SCRIPTURE IN REPLY  
TO FRIENDS-ENEMIESSIXTH JUROR SECURED AT  
MORNING SESSION TRAVIS  
DISTRICT COURT

By Associated Press.  
Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—While the defendant quoted Scripture in reply to his friends and enemies alike, attorneys in the Dr. J. Frank Norris murder trial selected their sixth juror today to try the noted Fort Worth fundamentalist for the killing of Dexter E. Chippis.

The sixth juror was C. A. Galbreath, an Austin butcher, who is married, but has no children. He is not a church member, but his wife is a Methodist.

Galbreath took his place in a locked room with W. D. Miller, former sheriff; C. J. Brown, laborer; Walter Johnson, dairyman; O. D. Moore, laborer; and Will J. Dill, retired, all chosen yesterday.

Galbreath was the 26th venireman examined. The State has used four peremptory challenges and the defense two in order to remove undesirable veniremen.

Most of the men dismissed this morning had fixed opinions, and one or two had scruples against the death penalty.

Dr. Norris issued a written statement, quoting Psalm 27, which he said was a reply to the many telegrams and letters received from friends.

The audience and newspaper gallery dwindled as the lawyers drummed away at their questions investigating the death penalty, the religious beliefs of prospective jurors, the nature of self-defense and the lodge affiliations of veniremen. Only one man said he was a former Ku Klux Klansman, and he was excused.

Trial resumed Wednesday.

By Associated Press.

Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—The Norris murder trial was resumed in district court here today with William Bowling, a city salesman, under examination as a prospective juror.

Five jurors were selected yesterday and today were locked up in a room, prisoners under guard, as Judge James R. Hamilton expressed it.

Bowling said he could give a ministerial impartial treatment. He said he was a former member of the Ku Klux Klan.

Isaac D. White of Austin, Norris' attorney, took over the venireman for questioning on behalf of the defense. White explained to him that under the law a man does not have to run away or retreat when attacked. Bowling was removed by a peremptory challenge from the State.

C. A. Galbreath, a butcher, who said he was a mason, was questioned on his attitude toward ministers, and replied that, though not a church member, he had no prejudice against preachers. This venireman, as was the case with others, was asked whether his wife had expressed an opinion on the case. He said she had not.

**Preacher Has Rights.**  
Galbreath was asked by Attorney Marvin Simpson whether he believed a preacher "would have to take more off a person than some one else." He replied that a preacher ought to have the same right to protect himself as anyone.

The defense challenged Galbreath because he said he had formed a slight opinion from reading the newspapers. Attorney Sam Sayers, special prosecutor, drew from Galbreath that he knew virtually nothing about the case except that Norris had killed D. E. Chippis. Judge Hamilton asked Galbreath whether he could try the case like any other case and when he answered in the affirmative, the defense withdrew its challenge and Galbreath was accepted as juror No. 6.

Seven veniremen had been examined to obtain Juror Galbreath, who was the 26th venireman on the list. R. A. Chunn, a grocer, and member of the Methodist church, was called next. He said, "It might have some effect on my conscience" to inflict the death penalty. He told the judge he was opposed to capital punishment and was then ordered to stand aside, but the defense wanted to pursue the questions further.

"Do you mean there is no case in which you would inflict the death penalty?" Attorney Simpson asked.

"No," Chunn replied. "I mean the evidence would have to justify it."

Attorney Sayers assured the venireman that such was true in all criminal cases, and then Dayton Moses, defense attorney, asked the venireman whether he understood that a man did not have to run when attacked. Chunn nodded assent to the doctrine.

"In other words a man is not required to wait until he is shot down before he acts," said Moses.

Chunn was challenged by the State, which used its fifth peremptory challenge to excuse him. They had 11 challenges left and the defense had 14.

The defense exercised its second peremptory challenge to eliminate J. H. Colley from the venire. Colley said he had no conscientious scruples against the death penalty.

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Corsicana, Texas.

NICARAGUA HOLDS  
ATTENTION SENATE;  
MEXICO IN DENIALPOSSIBILITY WAR BETWEEN  
UNITED STATES AND MEXICO  
DEPRECATED

By Associated Press.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The focus of the Senate's attention on the Nicaraguan situation today was directed upon Secretary of State Kellogg who was asked to appear before its Foreign Relations Committee to explain the administration's policies in the Central American republic.

The committee desired from the Secretary in executive session, a complete declaration and explanation of the developments in Nicaragua where American Marines have been landed. The Marines were dispatched to protect American lives and property during a conflict in the Central American republic between President Adolfo Diaz, recognized by the United States, and Juan B. Sacaes who is recognized by Mexico.

**Eruption Expected in Senate.**  
Although silence has reigned in the Senate since President Coolidge delivered his Nicaraguan message Monday, a blaze of comment was indicated for today on that body's floor with Chairman Borah of the Foreign Relations Committee listed as a principal in the attack.

The House yesterday indulged in an oratorical tilt with two Democrats. Representative Loefer of Missouri and Huddleston of Alabama, delivering the onslaughts on the President's views, while Wood of Pennsylvania upheld the Coolidge defense for the chief executive.

Mexico, through its Foreign Relations Secretary, Aaron Saez, last night issued a denial that it had intervened in Nicaragua to block the interests of policies of the United States. Saez refrained from a direct reference to Mr. Coolidge's message.

**War Possibility Depreciated.**  
Possibility of a war between Mexico and the United States was depreciated by Saez, who said the comparative strength of the two nations made it absurd to suggest that "Mexico wishes to face the United States in a military way."

Representative Huddleston earlier had accused the administration of "drifting into war with Mexico."

The Mexican government, said Saez, in discussing its new petroleum and land laws, had "invited" the United States to point out violations of Americans' legitimate interests.

**Diaz Minister Presents Papers.**  
The Diaz administration came into closer contact with the American government when Alejandro Cesar, the new Nicaraguan minister, arrived today to present his credentials.

Concentration of American naval forces in Central American waters totals 15 United States ships with 4,024 sailors and Marines on board. Six cruisers and four destroyers are in the vicinity of Nicaragua stationed off Bluefields, Corinto, Pearl Lagoon, Braganza's Bluff and Prinzapolka.

A note of peace towards the settlement of the Nicaraguan conflict was sounded in Salvador by churchmen and statesmen, who suggested that Sacaes and Diaz withdraw and let former Foreign Minister Salvador Ramirez assume the presidency.

## Would Boycott America.

By Associated Press.  
Mexico City, Jan. 12.—A boycott on all merchandise and other products of the United States through Latin America is proposed by the "Spanish-American Committee" of Mexico City, as an expression of resentment against the policy of the Washington government toward Nicaragua.

The committee represents an organization seeking to bring about closer relations of all the Latin American states with one another and with Spain.

**Fruit Company Makes Denial.**  
By Associated Press.  
New Orleans, Jan. 12.—Denial that the Cuyamel Fruit Company had voluntarily aided the Liberal government in Nicaragua was made here today by Joseph W. Montgomery, secretary of the Cuyamel Company.

**Rumored War Vessels to Sail.**  
By Associated Press.  
San Diego, Cal., Jan. 12.—Departure of the 10,000-ton submarine tender and salvage steamer Holland and four destroyers from San Diego to Nicaragua this afternoon.

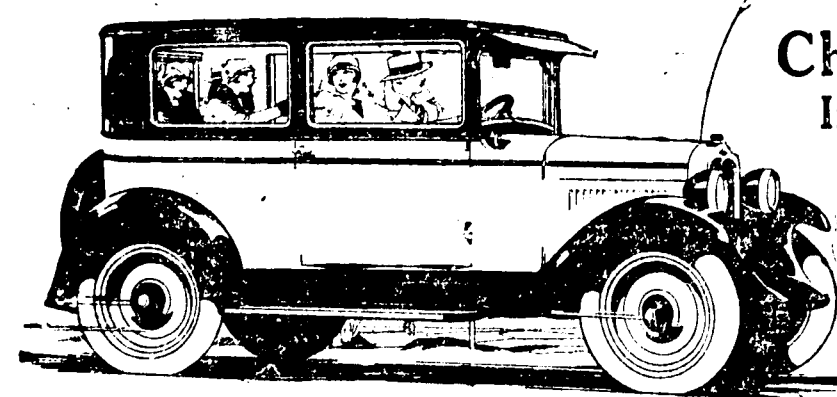
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Former Price \$765	
The TOURING	\$525
Price includes balloon tires and steel disc wheels. Former price \$535 with balloon tires only.	
The ROADSTER	\$525
Price includes balloon tires and steel disc wheels. Former price \$535 with balloon tires only.	
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Entirely new model with rumble seat	
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NAVARRO COUNTY  
PHYSICIANS ATTEND  
DISTRICT MEETING

A number of the physicians of Navarro county attended the meeting of the twelfth district of the Texas Medical Society in Waco Tuesday. The next meeting of the organization will be held in Temple during July. Those present reported that they were accorded a real entertainment while in Waco.

Officers for the year will be Dr. Cullum, Mart, president; Dr. Leck Eastland, Waco, secretary-treasurer.

The women's auxiliary met last afternoon and Navarro county medical society auxiliary was represented by Mrs. Dan B. Hamill.

Among the physicians of Navarro county present were Drs. Dan B. Hamill, E. H. Newton, H. B. Jester, J. Wilson David, S. H. Barnett, E. P. Norwood, Wm. K. Logsdon, W. W. Holbert, J. A. Jones and W. D. Cross, all of Corsicana; G. H. Sanders of Kerens; and Dr. Dickson and Hill of Brown.

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SIGNER OF TEXAS  
CONSTITUTION DIES  
CONFEDERATE HOME

By Associated Press.  
Marshall, Texas, Jan. 12.—Judge W. W. Dillard, a signer of the Texas constitution of 1875, died at the Confederate Home at Austin Tuesday evening, a telegram received by friends here said. He was 90 years old.

Shortly after coming to Texas from Alabama in 1877, Judge Dillard joined Company A of the Texas Cavalry, and served with Confederate forces during the Civil war. From 1889 to 1891 he served as county judge of Bowie county, and in 1900 was elected to the State Legislature.

Friends here know of no living relatives.

Kerens University  
Student Prize Debater

Special to the Sun.  
Kerens, Texas, Jan. 12.—Allan Crowley, senior law student in Texas University, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crowley of Kerens, won the second prize and seventy-five dollars in cash in the Lathrop State Debate contest at Texas University.

The Kerens young man has made an enviable record while in college. Besides being on the University debating team he is secretary of Justice Lathrop's Sunday School Class, and active in other student movements. He is also making part of his expenses.

## STOP THAT ITCHING

Itching, burning, sore throat, hoarseness, cough, cold, influenza, whooping cough, croup, bronchitis, asthma, hay fever, etc., are all relieved by the use of the famous **COULSON** Drug Co. **YOU CAN GET IT IN** Corsicana

Officers in Kerens  
Precincts Are Busy

Special to the Sun.  
Kerens, Texas, Jan. 12.—Since the first of January the new peace officers of the Kerens precinct in Navarro county have averaged one lodge, moonshiner, or arrest in connection with illicit liquor traffic.

per day. Five negroes were jailed at one time after one night's raid. Seven or eight heavy fines have been imposed on those arrested, and several are out on bond, awaiting action of the grand jury.

READ the  
WANT ADS rooms

## GROCERY NEWS

**WHO IS YOUR DOCTOR?** Well that is none of our business, but you do have a regular doctor, a regular preacher, a regular lawyer and a regular banker—Then, why not have a regular grocer?

**MANY ADVANTAGES** will be apparent to you after you have selected a good grocer and confined your business to him for a few months you will be surprised at the help and satisfaction you can get out of a good regular grocer—in buying groceries, in selling produce and in many other ways.

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## SPECIAL MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT CAME MOST UNEXPECTEDLY

STATEMENT ON NICARAGUAN  
CONDITIONS BRINGS PRAISE  
AND CRITICISM

By Associated Press.

Washington, Jan. 11.—President Coolidge's special message to Congress, in which he had laid out in unmistakable language his policy in Nicaragua, and reaffirmed the administration's policy as one designated to protect all interests of the United States in Central America, came with such an unexpected suddenness that many members were still pursuing the document today before making known their views.

It was being given particular attention by members of the Senate who contemplated taking part in the examination tomorrow of Secretary Kellogg by the Foreign Relations Committee on the Nicaraguan situation.

The President made it plain that the government was acting not merely to preserve American lives and property in the internal warfare in Nicaragua, where it has recognized the conservative regime of President Diaz as opposed to the liberal government set up by Juan B. Saca, with Mexican recognition, but to protect the interests of "this government itself," whether affected by internal strife or "outside interference."

Mexico is Accused.

He said he had the most "conclusive evidence" that arms and ammunition in "large quantities" had been shipped on several occasions to the "revolutionists" that boats carrying those munitions were fitted out in Mexican ports; that some munitions bore evidence of having belonged to the Mexican government, and it appeared the ships were fitted out "with the full knowledge of and in some cases with the encouragement of the Mexican officials."

In one instance, he added, one of the gun runners was commanded by a Mexican naval reserve officer.

Chairman Borah of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who holds that Saca is the rightful head in Nicaragua, had no comment to make on the message, but said he would discuss the situation later. A few did comment, however, and among them were found both endorsers and critics.

Senator Bingham, Republican of Connecticut, said the message would clarify the situation in the public mind. Senator Moses, Republican of New Hampshire, said it was "an admirable statement," while Senator Smoot, Republican of Utah, declared it "ought to allay all apprehension of the American people."

Democratic Leader is Critic.

Among the critics were Representative Garrett, Democrat, leader in the House, who said the message was unsatisfactory in that it did not make clear "just what is the danger to American life existing in Nicaragua now."

Senator King, Democrat of Utah, said his information as to Nicaraguan conditions was "not in harmony with statements of the President."

Senator Willis, Republican of Ohio, while not commenting on the message, declared in a speech in Philadelphia that England, France and Italy had appealed to the United States to protect their nationals in Nicaragua and if the latter did not agree to do this, "they will do it themselves, especially England, for that country will see Englishmen protector wherever they go."

Reiterated his charge that America "deliberately and consciously" is drifting into war with Mexico, and declared that the President has brought Mexico into his message yesterday for the deliberate purpose "to put her in a bad light."

Mr. Coolidge sent the message to Congress, the Alabama said, to back up the charge "that Mexico is a Bolshevik government."

Huddleston added that as he listened to the reading of the message he felt sorry for Mr. Coolidge. He believed "a Hughes, a Root, or someone else" could have sent a communication to Congress that would have displayed more tact. The President had had poor advice, he said, and "is indeed an unfortunate man."

American For Mexico.

Mexico City, Jan. 11.—Mexico should be given a chance to work out her own program without interference, in the opinion of Hubert C. Herring, leader of a group of forty Americans who have been studying conditions in Mexico.

Before leaving for New York last night Mr. Herring said:

"The Mexican government has a program. It is idle to attempt any appraisal of the land, oil or church situation without first attempting to understand the entire program. I believe that Mexico should be given a chance to work out her program in her own way and without interference."

Mr. Herring is head of the social relations department of the United States.

## PAYMENTS OF ROAD CONTRACTS LOWERS LIMESTONE'S FUNDS

ELECTION WILL BE CALLED  
FOR ISSUANCE OF ADDI-  
TIONAL ROAD BONDS

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—With heavy payments being made out of the Mexico road district bond fund for payment of roads under contract for the end of the year 1926 found Limestone county cash balance at the lowest figure it has been in many months, the bank balance being \$1,351.35, according to a monthly statement of J. E. Watson, its county auditor.

The Mexico road district fund had been on to \$725,743.09 with an interest and sinking fund of the district \$75,653.50. The general fund had a balance of \$5,176.67. Precincts showed the following: No. 1, \$7,309.15; No. 2, \$886.72; No. 3, \$754.68; No. 4, \$2,357.17.

New Justice Appointed.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Following resignation of Jake Mahit as justice of the peace of precinct No. 7, the Farrar district, Limestone county commissioners, have named W. E. Bivins to take the place. The latter has made bond, which was approved.

The commissioners also appointed Willard E. Bower Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 2, Prairie Hill. No justice was elected for that community.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Another road improvement project was added to Limestone county when county commissioners in session Monday agreed to call an election in the Kirk community for the formation of Road District No. 21, to vote \$50,000 bonds.

The district takes in a wide territory, it was said, and leaders propose to bond the district to put in gravel roads in the rich black land. No date has been set for the election, but it will be in February some time.

Sheriff Names Deputies.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Sheriff Boss McKenzie, who took office a few days ago, has completed his list of deputies, some of them only part time or special deputies. The list follows:

Sam F. Walters, field deputy; L. S. Simmonds, jailer; Sam Alton, Coolidge; D. W. Moody, Tehuacana; Horace Alexander, Prairie Hill; Harvey Sanders, Kirk; Ole Adams, Groesbeck; A. A. Mace, Olie Jones, Marvin Wooten, Mexia; Jim Goodwin, Oleta; O. C. Storey, Farrar.

The commissioners voted a salary of \$125 a month for L. C. Simmonds as jailer.

Extra Pay Cut Off.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—An order previously made by the county commissioners, count allowing extra pay for loading of rock on railroad cars by the Bruner and Wilder firm, contractors for the roads of the Mexico district, was Monday rescinded by order of the same count.

Commissioner Luther Cox advocated the change on the ground the company was sufficiently compensated in terms of the contract without additional allowances. Ed Andrews, Groesbeck commissioner, seconded the motion.

Seeks Permission to Sell Truck.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—County Attorney Carl Cannon has brought suit in 5th district court against a Dallas man seeking to condemn and sell the truck which was confiscated when he was arrested with a truck load of corn whiskey.

The man is under \$2,000 bond in two cases filed against him in connection with the capture of the more than 250 gallons of corn whiskey three days before Christmas. The district court action seeks authority to sell the truck and turn the money into the state treasury.

SICK HEADACHE

No Pleasure, Says Ohio Lady, to Go Places, Till She Took Black-Draught Which Brought Relief.

Langsville, Ohio.—"For years and years I suffered with severe headache," says Mrs. Jane Campbell, of this place. "It wasn't any pleasure for me to go places, for I came home with sick headache. If I went to church or to any social gathering or to town to shop, when I got back I would have these headaches and have to go to bed for a day or more, till I would just get out of heart and would not try to go."

About 15 years ago I discovered that Black-Draught was good for these headaches. I began using it. I would take it two or three nights in succession if I felt the least bad, and it sure did wonders for me. It is about 14 years since I had sick headaches, and I can go places and enjoy my life. It surely is splendid."

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## THE BEST "FIVE FOOT SHELF"

Comment on the Uniform International Sunday School Lesson for

January 16, 1927.

Read Deut. 6; Tim. 3.

WM. SOUTHERN, JR.

### THE CHRISTIAN'S USE OF THE BIBLE

Duet, 6: 4-9; 2 Tim. 3: 14-17.

Duet, 6: 4. Hear, O Israel, Jehovah our God is one Jehovah.

5. And thou shalt love Jehovah thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.

6. And these words which I command thee this day shall be upon thy heart.

7. And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thy house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.

8. And thou shalt bind them for a sign upon thy hand, and they shall be for frontlets between thine eyes.

9. And thou shalt write them upon the door-posts of thy house, and upon thy gates.

2 Tim. 3: 14. But abide in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;

15. And that from a babe thou hast known the sacred writings which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.

16. Every scripture inspired of God is also profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for instruction which is in righteousness;

17. That the man of God may be complete, furnished completely unto every good work.

Golden Text.—Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and light unto my path.—Ps. 119: 105.

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In one of Ople Reads' delightful stories is delineated a very lovable character. Lem Junkin was an Arkansas planter, he loved a fine horse, a pretty woman and truth-telling man. But his special fancy was for a game rooster of the best fighting blood. Whenever he was in great trouble he would go to the pens and watch two of his best chickens fight. He was very religious and honest and often announced that he "believed in The Book from Kiver to Kiver."

Old Lem was a Christian without guile and very human. He stood firm in his belief in the Bible without knowing anything much about it. He probably would not have understood it had he read and re-read all its wonderful passages. But he believed in the book.

Most of us believe in the Bible just that way. We almost worship a book. Our trouble is we believe in the book, insist that what it says is the inspired word of God and do not seek to find out what it means. I believe in the old Book from "Kiver to Kiver" and I do not think it at all inconsistent to try to find out just what is meant by the words I find recorded in that precious volume.

Oldest of books, the Bible is still the newest of books. It is more than a book, it is a library of sixty-six volumes bound under one cover. It is today the best seller in the book stores. It is found in nearly every home. Santa Claus uses the Bible as his most popular gift book. Dr. Elliott's five-foot shelf, as a

guide to the book lover is a poor collection compared to the collection of volumes we know and love as the Bible. There is not a single argument in favor of Dr. Elliott's collection which cannot be used more effectively when advocating the Bible as a collection. The Bible has the great advantage over any other selection. It is a record of both spiritual and physical life and history, it is written by holy men who were inspired by God to do the work. It has been preserved throughout the centuries, has been saved to us from the endeavors of kings and tyrants and churchmen, who used all the wealth at their disposal to destroy it. It was a sacred book before printing was invented and was copied and recopied by hand, in addition to this vital spark the Bible is also just as good as a literary study, just as fine as a record of high courage and vivid adventure, just as interesting when love stories are to be told and just as appropriate for the student of the ways of humanity.

We are today beginning to understand the wonderful story of the Bible. The Old Testament was written in Hebrew on papyrus and on skins, by inspired men. It tells us of the relation of God to men and his direction of the lives of men. It brings us the story of the yearning after God by the men of every age and tells us how to find Him.

The New Testament was written in Greek. It is a sequel to the Old and brings us in wonderful messages the story of Jesus, the new dispensation. The God of the Old Testament was a God of Fear, a righteous but stern judge. The God of the New Testament is a God of Love, the righteous, loving, yearning friend of humanity. He is the God of every human being and not the God of one tribe or one race. He is the God of the Wise Men and the Shepherds.

Jesus lived and ate and consorted with sinners. He came to save the soul of the Samaritan woman was as precious to Him as the soul of the princess of Judah in her aristocratic home. The soul of the woman who had sinned and whom the Elders would have stoned to death was as a glowing pure heart in the eyes of Jesus.

Most of us are like old Lem Junkin. We do not know what the Bible means nor how to study it. We believe it from "Kiver to Kiver." We never can know all about the Bible—that is one of the fascinating features of this wonderful book. We can know much more than we do. Strange passages and entire volumes become clear and plain when we know why they were written.

The Book of Ruth was written by a devout Jew to show in a kindly way how Ezra was wrong when he separated wives from husbands and demanded that Jews marry only Jews. The book of Job was a discussion of the great question, yet unanswered, of why does God permit the righteous to suffer and reward the wicked with wealth. Job and his friends argued about the subject and even Job's wife chimed in, but he never settled it and we have not settled it. The author of Job spoiled the book by making it "end

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Contributed.

## NEGRO SCHOOL AT WORTHAM HELD UP AS MODEL OF KIND BY VISITOR TO INSTITUTION

The writer of this article was in Wortham Christmas week and in company with Ed Satterwhite, editor of the Wortham Journal, visited the "Keokee of the West." A negro school patterned after the famous school built by Booker T. Washington and if any reader of this paper is ever in Wortham, a visit to the school will be worth while.

Three years ago the negro school at Wortham was about on a par with negro schools all over the country. The school board employed a negro teacher and this negro "kept school." He opened and closed the school and drew his salary regularly each month, he was more punctual perhaps in the drawing of the said salary than in the teaching of the pupils who entered the school.

The Wortham school board hired T. W. Wheeler and wife and then things began to happen. Hence the visit of the writer and Satterwhite to the school and these are some things we learned. The ink had hardly gotten dry on the contract for the school when the board had secured their co-operation. A school building worth \$3,500 with a roomy and commodious was set apart for the education of the negro by the president of one of our largest mail order houses. Then he went before the Wortham school board and secured their co-operation. A school building worth \$3,500 with a roomy and commodious was set apart for the education of the negro by the president of one of our largest mail order houses. Then he went before the Wortham school board and secured their co-operation.

Leaving the school building we were shown over the farm. About 100 fruit trees have been set out and mustard, lettuce, onions, and cabbage plants were growing. We bought 100 cabbage plants and now have them growing in our garden at Blue finished products.

In the domestic science department we found that the negro girls were being trained as cooks, dressmakers and other useful and valuable occupations.

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## MOODY APPOINTS WOMAN SECRETARY OF STATE FOR TEXAS

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—Dan Moody, governor-elect, Tuesday announced the appointment of Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum of Austin as his secretary of state, Joseph D. Sayers, of the board of pardon advisors; Boyd Gatewood of Houston as his private secretary; and J. D. Hall of Georgetown as his first assistant secretary.

Mrs. McCallum, the wife of A. N. McCallum, for many years superintendent of Austin schools, is a prominent club woman. She was chairman of the state-wide organization of women who actively supported Moody. In 1917 she was chairman of the state-wide organization of women who actively supported Moody. In 1917 she was chairman of the state-wide organization of women who actively supported Moody.

Sayers as a youth served with distinction in the civil war. He is a former United States Congressman and was governor of Texas, 1899-1903. He has been engaged for many years here in the practice of law.

Gatewood, 35, is a newspaper man of 15 years varied experience. He has been connected with newspapers in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles, and other large cities.

Hall is the Williamson county clerk and Moody's friend of long standing.

Moody said other appointments would be announced soon, while a number would not be announced "until under the law the offices they will fill become vacant."

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## SWIFT JUSTICE IS METED OUT TO MAN WHO KILLED NINE

HASSELL UNMOVED AS JURY  
REPORTS AT EARLY HOUR  
WEDNESDAY

By Associated Press.

Farwell, Texas, Jan. 12.—Swift justice of the West was dealt out here to George J. Hassell, farmer and self-confessed slayer of his family of nine, when he was found guilty and assessed the death penalty for the murder of his step-son, Aldon Hassell. The jury was out less than two hours, having received the case shortly before midnight. The verdict was returned at about 1 o'clock this morning.

Hassell sat unmoved as the verdict was read. His attorney was absent.

The large crowd that had milled around the court house in this small Panhandle town during the past four days, had dispersed and only a few persons were present when the jury reported. Among them were the aged parents of Hassell's slain wife, and a step-daughter, who calmly listened to the report.

The sheriff placed Hassell in jail here, because the evidence of feeling had subsided.

Three weeks after their disappearance in December, Hassell's wife and eight step-children were found dead.

The bodies were in a caved-in dugout on his farm. Hassell made a confession, telling of the killing of his family by choking, shooting and using an axe. He said he had killed a woman and three children in California some years ago, but refused to disclose when or where.

It has not been determined what will be done about the remaining eight indictments against Hassell.

Think Well

## LONDON NEWSPAPERS SEVERE ON COOLIDGE'S MESSAGE TO CONGRESS ON NICARAGUA

By Associated Press.

London, Jan. 12.—Evolution of the Monroe doctrine from a negative to a positive theory is seen by the Times in the policy pursued in Nicaragua by the United States.

"The American intervention, there," it says, "is in logical accord with the recent evolution of the Monroe doctrine, which, from the negative proposition that no European country shall interfere in the American continent, has developed into the positive theory that the United States is free to intervene there at any time in defense of her interests."

The Daily News believes President Coolidge is committed to "a very dangerous policy," declaring: "While his professed purpose is to protect American citizens, everybody knows the real intention is to support one side of the revolution against the other in the hope of destroying Mexican influence in Nicaragua and substituting United States domination."

"The immediate results of Mr. Coolidge's grave blunder has been to excite contemptuous comment in the European newspapers on the glaring example of the hypocrisy of American moral philosophy of international politics, and to deeply anger the peoples of Latin America. It is certainly a strange interpretation of the Monroe doctrine."

Argentine Papers Comment.

Buenos Aires, Jan. 12.—The principal newspapers here publish in full and in a prominent position the message of President Coolidge to the American Congress regarding the Nicaraguan problem.

Commenting on the message El Diario says: "This document points out a progress in American feelings, because in other times the intervention of the United States in Central American territory took place and no one took any notice."

La Critica says: "The message of Mr. Coolidge constitutes a history of Yankee imperialism," and adds, "The President of the United States wants to explain everything without however managing to clarify anything."

BAPTIST WORKERS MEETING TO BE HELD CORSICANA MONDAY

The county-wide meeting which is to be held next Monday in Corsicana at the First Baptist church is attracting county interest and those interested in the movement are asked to give the meeting as much publicity as possible. In brief the meeting and program is as follows:

Workers monthly meeting of the Corsicana Association will meet with the First Baptist church, Corsicana, next Monday at 10 a. m.

Lunch will be served by the ladies of the church.

Program given over to a discussion of the Texas Baptist Conquest Campaign.

10 a. m.—Devotional: "The Place of prayer in this campaign." Rev. N. L. Range, Frost, Texas.

10:30 a. m.—Reaching the people through the Sunday School. J. Howard Williams, Corsicana, Texas.

11:00 a. m.—Our Young People and This Campaign. Mrs. L. C. Mabry, Kerens, Texas.

11:30 a. m.—Address by the organizer of the Waco District, Rev. W. H. McKenzie, Waxahatchie, Texas.

12:30 p. m.—Lunch served at the church.

2:00 p. m.—Our Women and This Campaign. Mrs. George Miller, Corsicana, Texas.

2:30 p. m.—Reaching every church in the association; setting up the Associational Organization by county and district organizers.

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## SELF DEFENSE IS LINE TO BE PURSUED BY NORRIS DEFENSE

By Associated Press.

Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—The line between "apparent" and "actual" danger and what type of danger is sufficient to justify a man in taking the life of another is to be drawn in the Norris murder trial, examination of prospective jurors revealed here today. Dr. J. Frank Norris is on trial for the killing of D. E. Chippis, of Fort Worth.

The effect of Norris church radio and his paper, the Searchlight, on public opinion in this county also is to be a factor in the selection of a jury, the questions showed as the case moved forward rapidly after defense attorneys had decided not to ask for a continuance, which yesterday they intimated would be their move.

Within half an hour after both sides announced ready about 9:15 a. m., two jurors had been selected out of the first four men examined. One is W. D. Miller, who retired as sheriff of this county ten days ago. He drew his own name from the jury wheel in performing his last official act as sheriff.

C. J. Brown, a laborer, also was accepted.

**Claim Norris Believed in Danger.**

Questions by counsel indicated the defense was prepared to argue that Norris thought he was in danger of his life when Chippis called at his church office on a Saturday afternoon last July and that the question of whether Chippis was armed is immaterial. Defense attorneys dwelt at length on the idea of "apparent danger," which they indicated they were prepared to define in detail, indicating their position is that the law of self-defense must be interpreted from the standpoint of the defendant rather than that of the supposed aggressor.

O. D. Moore was accepted as juror No. 3. He is a laborer and has five children.

Three jurors had been selected to try Dr. J. Frank Norris on a charge of murdering D. E. Chippis of Fort Worth when court got into recess today. The jurors are: W. D. Miller, former sheriff, married.

C. L. Brown, laborer, married.

O. D. Moore, laborer, married.

Attorneys called selection of the jury was progressing rapidly.

By the Associated Press.

Court Room, Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—When court opened for the Dr. J. Frank Norris murder trial here this morning, Dayton Moses, defense attorney, announced the defense did not plan to ask for a continuance.

Mr. Moses, however, had a motion in reference to questions to be asked witnesses. At adjournment of court yesterday, there was some doubt whether the case would continue today.

After the clerk had called the jury list, Judges James R. Hamilton announced he understood both sides were ready for trial. The state announced ready, and counsel or defense said they had no application for continuance. The judge thereupon announced the case on trial.

Attorney Walter Scott, special prosecutor, read the names of several witnesses whom the defense yesterday stated were absent, and asked that it be recorded that the case later could not be delayed by their absence but the judge asked him to postpone his request.

**First Venireman Foreigner.**

The first venireman called, A. P. Dobrowski, was asked by the judge if he had an opinion or bias in the case. He said he had no opinion, though he had heard about the case. He was then turned over to District Attorney J. D. Moore, for questioning.

The venireman said he had been reading the Search Light, Norris' church weekly. The paper had been sent to him unsolicited, he said, but he did not recall how many editions he had received. He said reading the Search Light had not caused him to form an opinion on the case.

Dr. Norris, sitting at counsel table, showed close interest in remarks about the Search Light, which publishes his sermons. He also showed interest when the venireman said he did not own a radio. Dr. Norris' Sunday sermons are broadcast by his church radio and the pastor, who is charged with the murder of D. E. Chippis, has discussed the case through the air.

**Dobrowski Is Dismissed.**

The state passed Dobrowski and Attorney Moses asked that the witness be dismissed because on the venire list his name was spelled "Dobrowski." Persistent efforts to obtain the correct spelling of the name followed. The venireman spelled it several times and then wrote it "A. P. Dobrowski," explaining that he was Polish and his name ended in "sky" he would be a Jew.

Dobrowski was dismissed. The second venireman also was dismissed because he had an opinion.

W. O. Miller, former sheriff of Travis county, who drew his own name from the jury wheel, was selected as a juror without questions from the defense. He stated he had no opinion in the case.

L. W. Lowden was asked what church he held membership in. He said he was not a church member, but that some of his family were Methodist. He said he had been receiving the Search Light and that he had started coming to his house in the last few months.

Attorney Moses for the defense asked Lowden if he believed in "the law of self-defense."

"Absolutely," Lowden replied.

He said he would take the law as the court instructed.

He was excused, for cause at the request of the defense.

R. Clayton said he would not vote death in any case. Norris lean-

## ELEVEN JURORS HAD BEEN SECURED IN TRIAL OF MINISTER

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he was a member of any secret society.

"A man doesn't have to tell that, does he?" McCoy asked his questioner, District Attorney Jesse Martin of Tarrant county. Martin assured McCoy he was not trying to embarrass him, but that he desired an answer in order to get at the venireman's mental attitude.

**Former Klansman.**

"Well, I belonged to the Ku Klux Klan two years ago," McCoy said. "I was a member one year and voluntarily dropped out." Prosecution attorneys then went into the huddle system for signals, conferring with their heads together. They then turned McCoy over to the defense.

McCoy was the third out of more than 70 veniremen examined to state that he had been a member of the Ku Klux Klan. The other two former Klansmen were not taken as jurors.

Attorney Dayton Moses, defense attorney, told the venireman that "if this defendant is guilty of murder he ought to be convicted, and the State is entitled to a conviction, but if we can show self-defense we are entitled to acquittal."

"Do you understand that to be the law?"

"Yes," answered McCoy, "but I am somewhat opposed to the death penalty." The State accepted him, but defense promptly exercised a peremptory challenge to dismiss him.

The next three veniremen were dismissed for having opinions.

**Venireman Receives Searchlight.**

T. J. Cunningham, a farmer, was called and said on December 24 he received a copy of the Searchlight, Norris' church paper, and read therein Norris' sermon of marriage and divorce, but didn't recall whether the sermon mentioned the Chippis killing. He received his summons for jury service December 23.

Attorney Tom Sayers, for the State, asked whether he had seen any strangers about his place "on the pretext of hunting," who had attempted to discuss the case with him. Cunningham said he had not talked to any one about the case.

Cunningham was accepted as the ninth juror.

He is 47 and has married three times, his first two wives having died.

W. M. Hudson, who said he was over sixty, claimed exemption from service because he had a cold and the judge excused him.

W. L. Morris, street car conductor, said he had picked up a Searchlight in his yard and read it. He is a member of the Baptist church. When asked by Attorney Sayers whether he was a member of a secret society, Morris turned to the judge and asked:

"Must I answer all these questions, Judge?"

Judge Hamilton nodded in the affirmative, and Morris said he was a Mason, but denied Ku Klux Klan membership.

After the venireman and the attorney had argued back and forth over the death penalty, with the venireman giving some apparently sharp answers, Morris was removed on a peremptory challenge by the State.

**Quit Klan Recently.**

T. H. Tunney, an Austin city employee, said he had resigned from the Ku Klux Klan ten days ago, after being a member several years. He could give no definite reason for quitting.

When District Attorney J. D. Moore of Travis county pursued questions as to Tunney's Klan membership, Attorney Moses for Norris rose and said:

"The defense objects to these questions because the defendant is not now and never has been a member of the Klan. We also object because we may not be able to complete a jury out of this panel, and these questions going out in the press may influence future veniremen."

Moses said the Klan issue had been so heated in this locality that it was not fair to bring it into the trial and he requested the State not to ask questions concerning the Klan any more in the case.

Attorney Martin objected to these questions, saying he never was a member of the Klan, because Attorney Moses was not under oath.

"We have information that Norris was a member of the Klan," said Martin.

"If there is a witness who will swear to that, I'll withdraw my objection," said Moses.

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**Charles Croft Made Assistant Cashier**

The name of Charles W. Croft was inadvertently left off of the list of officers elected at the directors' meeting of the First National Bank as carried in the Daily Sun Wednesday. Mr. Croft was elected assistant cashier. Mr. Croft has been connected with the First National Bank several years and has won his promotion by honesty and ability. It is regretted that the name was omitted from the list.

forward in his chair during the discussion on the death penalty. Clayton was dismissed.

R. L. Heath was dismissed because he had a fixed opinion in the case.

W. P. Crider also was dismissed. He said he couldn't give a man the death penalty "to save his life."

He was excused, for cause at the request of the defense.

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## LEGISLATORS WILL FACE NUMBER BILLS GREAT IMPORTANCE

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—The fortieth biennial session of the Texas Legislature convened at noon today for a 60 days' session, with prospects, if precedent is followed, of an extra session of about 30 days. Practically the entire membership was present for roll call.

For the first time in the history of the state a woman, Mrs. Meharz, Secretary of State, appointed by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, called the House to order. Barry Miller, lieutenant-governor, officiated at the opening session of the senate.

Among subjects legislators have announced they will consider are gasoline and automobile taxes and fees, and highway legislation.

Following its first caucus, the Senate announced the selection of the following officers:

W. V. Howerton, Austin, secretary; Morris Hankins, Austin, assistant secretary; A. W. Holt, Austin, sergeant-at-arms; F. M. Midkiff, Austin, assistant sergeant-at-arms.

Robt. L. Bobbitt was unanimously elected Speaker of the House.

A. E. Wood of Granger was unanimously chosen president pro tem of the Senate.

Bobbitt and Wood are strong supporters of Dan Moody, governor-elect, but their election was urged by men who in the 39th Legislature were counted stalwarts of the Ferguson administration—a circumstance lending weight to the general belief that the session is to be harmonious.

Mrs. Emma Grigsby Meharz, Secretary of State, opened the House. The Senate, Mrs. Meharz, soon retired with Governor Ferguson, was the first woman to open a Texas legislative body. She received much applause from the crowded galleries.

Governor Miriam A. Ferguson Wednesday will send in her first message. Indications are it will be short, and in the nature of a parting communication. She is expected to make a number of suggestions with reference to legislation she believes desirable, notably the increasing of the gasoline gallonage tax from one to three cents.

**Bobbitt Made Speaker.**

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—In the town where twelve years ago he earned his way through the Texas University law school by waiting on tables, mowing lawns, and performing other tasks, Robert Lee Bobbitt of Laredo, Tuesday was unanimously elected Speaker of the House of the 40th Legislature, convening at Austin.

Robert Lee Bobbitt was born January 24, 1888 on a farm six miles south of Hillsboro, in Hill county, and lived upon that farm 22 years. His father yet lives on the farm where he reared 13 children.

He attended the country schools of Hill county and spent one year in the Carlisle Military Academy at Arlington, which is now a branch of Texas A. & M. Thereafter he attended the North Texas Normal College at Denton two years, and received his teacher's certificate. "But I never imposed myself upon the children as a teacher," Bobbitt related.

Bobbitt entered the University of Texas at Austin in 1912, and received his law degree in 1915. He served several months as a quiz master in the Law School, but resigned in January, 1916 to practice law in Laredo.

Bobbitt literally earned his law degree, mowing lawns, waiting on boarding house tables, working in the state library, and doing almost any sort of work to earn the 15 and 25 cents an hour paid in those days for student labor. "It was my pleasure to 'sling hash,' and do other work," he said.

He was elected president of his law class, and to membership in the Chancellors and Phi Delta Phi, honor organizations of the Law School.

Bobbitt was associated at Laredo with Asher R. Smith from January 1916 to July 1917 in the practice of law. In July, 1917 he became a member of the firm of Hicks, Hicks, Dickson & Bobbitt, with offices in San Antonio and Laredo, and has been with that firm since that time.

Entering the military service in October, 1917, as a private, Bobbitt was discharged as a captain of field artillery, Feb. 4, 1919, at Camp Jackson, South Carolina. He served with the 90th Division until it went overseas. He was detailed during the war as defense counsel on a number of cases, including the trial of 23 men at Camp Jackson, jointly tried for mutiny in time of war.

Upon his return from the military service, Bobbitt organized and was the first post commander of the Laredo post of the American Legion, and has since been an active member of that organization.

From 1920 until nominated to the Legislature in 1922, Bobbitt was a member of the state Democratic executive committee. During the 28th Legislature, he was a member of the judiciary, education and other committees, and during the 30th was chairman of the judiciary and a member of the appropriations, banking and other committees.

"I have never been much of an introducer of bills and resolutions, and make no claim to any particular bills or resolutions put across to save the state. I have always tried to support legislation of a general interest and benefit to the state at large, and have tried consistently to oppose all character of freak or 'one-off' legislation."

"I am what I like to term a 'Jacksonian, Jeffersonian, and Wilsonian Democrat' and believe, fundamentally, in the principles of the party, in for the League of Nations, and proper reservations, and believe

that the general principles of that plan must come to have a place in our government."

Bobbitt was married April 29, 1918 to Belle Webb of Laredo. They have one child, Robert Lee, Jr., four years old.

Bobbitt is a member of the First Presbyterian church of Laredo, and has been for several years chairman of its board of deacons.

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## PEPPERY SENATOR TELLS COLLEAGUES COOLIDGE IS WRONG

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between Moscow and Mexico Mr. Kellogg quoted from a declaration by Tikhochin, the Bolshevik Foreign Minister, who said on the strengthening of diplomatic relations between Mexico and the Soviet states that the "Mexican government is based on the right trade unions and the radical small bourgeois. Mexico gives us thus a very convenient political base in America for the development of our further ties."

Little comment was forthcoming on the statement yesterday. Senator Borah who is opposed to the administration's stand, said there was nothing in it which he did not already know. Senator Shipstead, (Farmer-Labor) of Minnesota, said he did not believe it justified the government's course. Senator Moses (Rep.) of New Hampshire, said future movements of the committee were not impressed by it and Senator Gillett (Rep.) of Massachusetts, said it confirmed his opinion that the government was acting wisely and consistently in the Nicaraguan matter.

The speaker was introduced by J. L. Halbert. Perry McCammon, president and spoke briefly of the purpose of the meeting. He stated that it was in the interest of the south of the land that the meeting was held.

The speaker was brought to Corsicana, he said, in order that the people might learn the facts.

The invocation was given by Rev. David Shepperson and the benediction by Rev. P. P. Culver. Tom Sweeney led the congregation in singing "America" and the national anthem of the First Baptist church, "Our Flag."

Captain Hobson was greeted by applause when he arose to speak. He immediately launched into his subject by giving a statistical comparison of conditions that exist today with those in the days of the open saloon. He stated that everywhere he had been there were signs of progress on every hand. People, he said, are not now spending \$2,500,000,000 over the bar in 177,000 licensed saloons for whiskey. It is true, he added, that they are spending much money for illicit liquor, but in the days of the saloons there was also much money spent for illicit whiskey in the numerous saloon tigers that were run in addition to the licensed saloons.

**Spending Only One-Tenth for Whiskey.**

Reliable figures, he declared, show that America is spending only one-tenth of the amount of money for whiskey now that they spent before prohibition. This, he declared, is a saving of two billion dollars per year.

Chronic drunkenness has greatly declined, the speaker declared, as he continued comparing conditions that exist today with those in the days of the open saloon, and the number of first offenses in a large city has decreased over 25 per cent. Capt. Hobson said, Alcoholic insanity has decreased 33 per cent in spite of the bootleg liquor, he declared.

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Then taking up the question of boot-

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## HOBSON ADDRESSED LARGE AUDIENCE ON LIQUOR QUESTION

SPANISH WAR NAVAL HERO  
GIVES FIGURES ON ILLICIT  
TRAFFIC

Capt. R. P. Hobson who is making a short tour in the interest of the Anti-Saloon League of America spoke at the First Baptist church Wednesday night, to an audience that filled the building almost to capacity, on the prohibition question and the narcotic situation in America.

The speaker was introduced by J. L. Halbert. Perry McCammon, president and spoke briefly of the purpose of the meeting. He stated that it was in the interest of the south of the land that the meeting was held.

The speaker was brought to Corsicana, he said, in order that the people might learn the facts.

The invocation was given by Rev. David Shepperson and the benediction by Rev. P. P. Culver. Tom Sweeney led the congregation in singing "America" and the national anthem of the First Baptist church, "Our Flag."

Captain Hobson was greeted by applause when he arose to speak. He immediately launched into his subject by giving a statistical comparison of conditions that exist today with those in the days of the open saloon. He stated that everywhere he had been there were signs of progress on every hand. People, he said, are not now spending \$2,500,000,000 over the bar in 177,000 licensed saloons for whiskey. It is true, he added, that they are spending much money for illicit liquor, but in the days of the saloons there was also much money spent for illicit whiskey in the numerous saloon tigers that were run in addition to the licensed saloons.

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An All Girl Dance Revue

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Troubles in the Conservatory.  
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Mr. Editor Daily Sun.

Dear Sir:  
Another year A. D. has gone into  
history. This Christmas has been  
my 45th in Corsicana and has been  
one of the most pleasant of the 45.  
Wife and I are both well, and wereremembered by many of our relatives  
and friends. Giving us fruit,  
cake, etc., up to a Radiola, for  
which we are very thankful.  
The new year, 1927, comes with  
its responsibilities of prosperity and  
adversity. Wife joins me in good  
wishes and a happy New Year  
greeting to all, including those of  
the Daily Sun—that has come into  
my home for many years.  
Respectfully yours,  
B. K. Duncan.What Your Want  
In the WANT ADS

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Radio has never known anything like the At-  
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ADVENTISTS WILL  
MEET IN NASHVILLE  
LATTER PART MONTHTEXAS DELEGATES EXPECT-  
ED TO TAKE IMPORTANT  
PART IN SESSIONS

Special to the Sun.

Washington, Jan. 12.—Leading  
Seventh-day Adventist clergymen  
from the three local conferences of  
Texas, will attend a convention of  
home missionary Bible house and  
publishing workers in Nashville,  
Tenn. January 21 to 28 that will  
bring together representatives of  
the church from all the Southern,  
Southeastern, and Southwestern  
states together with several of the  
leaders from the world's head-  
quarters of the denomination in  
Washington, D. C.Rev. R. L. Benton, president of  
the North Texas Conference, will  
lead the delegation from his terri-  
tory; Rev. W. R. Elliott, president  
of the South Texas Conference will  
be at the head of a delegation from  
his section, while Rev. E. T. Wil-  
son, president of the Texico Con-  
ference will be in charge of a dele-  
gation from all the eastern section  
of the state, together with workers  
from New Mexico.The entire Southwestern Union  
Conference which includes Texas,  
Arkansas, New Mexico and Okla-  
homa in its territory will send per-  
haps the largest delegation of any  
other section because of the fact  
that these three branches of the  
church work play a prominent part  
in the daily activities of the orga-  
nization in this section of the coun-  
try. Rev. M. E. Van Kirk who is  
the president of the Union Confer-  
ence will lead all forces from his  
field.Other Texans Going  
Others going from Texas include:  
C. G. Ortner, C. M. Norman, O. D.  
Slater, J. J. Landis, D. Van Campen  
and W. H. Hanhardt.Those who will be present from  
the world's headquarters of the de-  
nomination in Washington, D. C. in-  
clude Revs. J. L. McElhany, presi-  
dent of the North American Con-  
ference; N. Z. Town, W. W. East-  
man and H. H. Hall, of the pub-  
lishing department, and E. E. Hack-  
man, Associate Secretary of the  
Home Missionary Department.  
Messrs. Town and Hackman will in  
all probability be joint chairmen of  
the convention. Rev. C. E. Weeks,  
of Berne, Switzerland, director of  
the publishing work of the church  
in Europe will also take a promi-  
nent part in the daily proceedings.  
The proposition of "warning the  
world of its impending doom in this  
generation" will be laid before the  
delegates that "a great soul-winning  
movement, built on a spiritual founda-  
tion might be launched in every  
church in which every individual  
member will be engaged in personal  
evangelism."Trained Leadership Needed  
The greatest need of the church,  
according to the program outlined  
for discussion is "a trained lead-  
ership" beginning in the union con-  
ferences, coming down to the local  
or state conference, and entering  
even into the local churches. There  
will be plans made to include the  
ministry, the book and Bible house  
secretary, the evangelist in the  
cities and towns, the church officers  
and the missionary society leaders.  
Even the services of the children in  
the denominational schools will be  
utilized.In organizing the church for ac-  
tive missionary service, among the  
questions that will be considered  
include those of districting a confer-  
ence and forming bands and classes  
of the membership, using maps, and  
entering the big cities in an orga-  
nized manner.That there is to be "a trained  
laity to fill its place in the closing  
scenes of gospel work" is quite  
evident from the fact that among  
the questions to be considered will  
be those of "making the Church a  
training center," with "a ten-day  
institute or convention for certain  
sections," and "week-end conven-  
tions for local churches." Special  
classes of workers in churches are  
to be developed when field days  
will be held as training opportuni-  
ties for more efficient missionary  
endeavor.Personal Bible Evangelism  
Much will be said about "Per-  
sonal Bible evangelism, its place in  
the Advent movement, and the  
training of lay members as Bible  
teachers."The feature of home medical mis-  
sionary work will be discussed.  
Cooking schools will be organized,  
and also hands for the collection of  
clothing and food stuffs for the  
poor and sick. Work among the  
blind will be considered and also  
in hospitals and prisons.Much stress will be laid on the  
circulation of literature, either by  
personal distribution, through the  
mails, placing it in reading rooms,  
and libraries, a railway stations,  
on trains and steamboats.The leaders will be more active  
ministry for the stranger within  
our gates," especially in the large  
cities, and will urge the organiza-  
tion of a band in every church  
where practicable to work among  
the foreigners.In connection with this conven-  
tion reports will be given by offi-  
cials of the publishing house, and  
officers elected for the ensuing year.Former Frost Man  
Dies in New Mexico

Special to the Sun.

Front, Texas, Jan. 13.—The fu-  
neral service of Mr. Bob Morgan of  
Las Cruces, New Mexico, will be  
held here Friday afternoon, Jan.  
14th at the Baptist church. Mr.  
Morgan died Jan. 11th at his home.  
He was raised in Frost community  
and lived here until 1918. He leaves  
a wife, two brothers and three sis-  
ters to mourn his death.LIMESTONE RURAL  
SCHOOLS SEEKING  
AID FROM STATEOTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST  
FROM COUNTY SITE AT  
GROESBECK

Special to the Sun.

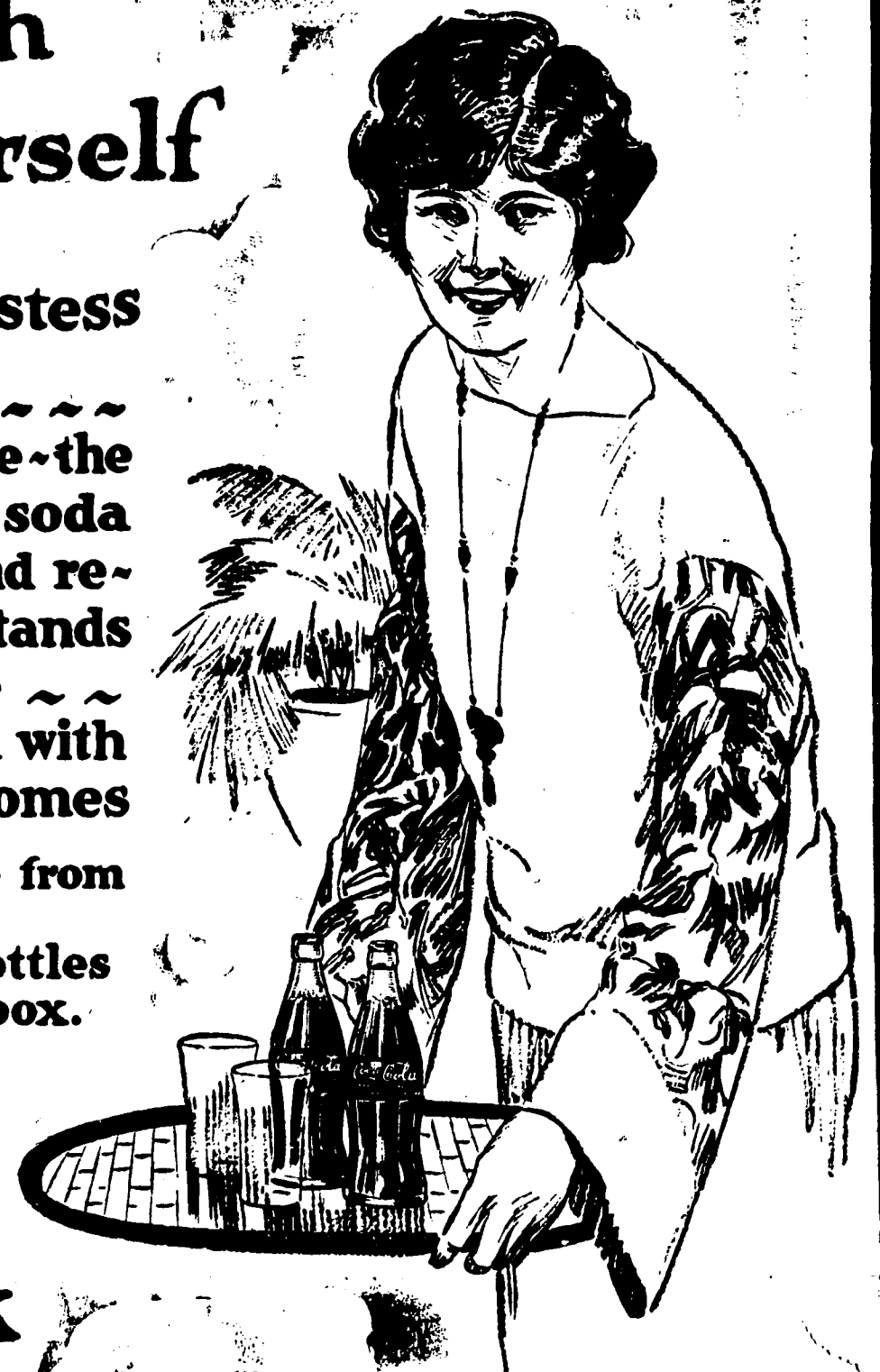
Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Call-  
ing on 50 rural schools of Lime-  
stone county and passing on their  
requests for special rural aid from  
the state was the task begun this  
week by S. E. Clark of Austin, rep-  
resenting the state department of  
education.With Mrs. Cora Ferguson, county  
superintendent of schools, Mr.  
Clark started out in the black land  
districts calling on Cedar, Munger,  
Callina and other schools, saving  
the south county schools for later  
in case of bad weather.The 50 schools are asking a total  
of \$35,000 this year. Two weeks  
time will be required to visit all  
of the schools.Mr. Clark will be the principal  
speaker at the meeting of Lime-  
stone County Teachers Association at  
Kosse Saturday, January 15. A  
large attendance is expected.Steel Traffic Treads on Bridge  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Steel  
traffic treads for the long bridge,  
over the Navasota river, in Pre-  
cinct No. 3, have been ordered by  
the county, at request of Commis-  
sioner Ed Andrews. The work is  
added to the contract specifications  
under which the Austin Bridge com-  
pany is proceeding with erection of  
three bridges in the county.Tax Assessor Reports  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Tax  
Assessor R. W. Steen's annual re-  
port, showing \$5,896.11 in excess  
taxes, was the first annual report to  
be turned over to the county com-  
missioners for approval and the  
commissioners were so delighted  
Monday with the showing that  
there was no delay in approving the  
report.All officials of the county are to  
submit annual reports to the coun-  
ty auditor and the county commis-  
sioners before a two-year audit on  
which work is now being done can  
be completed.Eleven-Year-Old Official  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Lime-  
stone county's youngest county of-  
ficial is no longer the 27-year-old  
district attorney nor the 29-year-old  
county attorney, of which the  
county boasts, but he is none other  
than Donald Ray Robbins.Donald was Monday appointed  
"official Commissioner of Shoe  
Shines," and County Clerk Lee  
Allen says the new official is a  
"perfect gentleman." Donald is 11  
years old. Donald's commission was  
acted on by the county commis-  
sioners after "due consideration."Seek to Lift Tick Quarantine  
Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—  
Seeking to arrange terms for lifting  
of the state and federal tick quar-  
antine in Limestone county, all  
members of the county commission-  
ers court will go to Fort Worth  
Thursday for a conference with the  
State Livestock Sanitary commis-  
sion.The quarantine was placed on the  
county several weeks ago after a  
disagreement between county and  
state officials with regard to dip-  
ping of cattle in certain sections of  
the county. The commissioners  
hope to arrange terms for lifting of  
the handicap, which prevents ship-  
ment of any cattle or hides out of  
this county.Tax Collector Ill  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—A. B.  
Bunn, new county tax collector,  
who was ill at a hospital when his  
term of office began, is now able to  
direct his office, which is in the  
rush of tax collection.Taxes Being Assessed  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—Tax  
assessing for the present year has  
begun with field deputies working  
in the Mexia district and others to  
be put to work in various sections  
in a short time. Assessor R. W.  
Steen expects to put out 10 or 12  
deputies to list all property in the  
county before April 30.Walter D. Cook, Mexia, is the  
field deputy who will assess most  
of the property in Mexia and he is  
already at work. Also in this dis-  
trict will be Troy D. McElroy, Wal-  
ter Cox and J. B. Davis.Other deputies will be announced  
later for the special work, according  
to Mr. Steen's office.No Increase in Delinquents  
Special to the Sun.Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 12.—No  
increase in the amount of uncol-  
lected taxes to be placed on the delin-  
quent rolls after January 31 is ex-  
pected by Collector A. B. Bunn, who  
says there is no condition to cause  
unusual amount in this situation.  
Large oil companies, he says, al-  
ways pay the last minute possible  
to avoid penalty, and many indi-  
viduals put off payment until the  
last minute.Mr. Bunn urges immediate pay-  
ment of taxes and procuring of au-  
tomobile license plates to avoid the  
rush of the last few days of the  
month.

## Hotel Parker

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Room and Board \$9.50.  
Meals 45c.  
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Hot and Cold Baths.

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Formerly of the Hotel Parker, Rich-  
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YourselfSays the Hostess  
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this beverage the  
favorite at soda  
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delight in homesOrder a case from  
your grocer.  
Keep a few bottles  
in your ice-box.

Drink

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COUNTY  
NEWS

## POWELL.

Special to the Sun.

Powell, Texas, Jan. 13.—With the  
continued good weather the farm-  
ers are plowing and getting their  
fields ready for another crop.Messrs. Jim and Aubrey Camp-  
bell have returned from Oklahoma.  
While they were in an auto-  
mobile wreck and were consider-  
ably bruised up, but no bones were  
broken.Mrs. H. R. Emerson and daugh-  
ter Harriet were in Corsicana Fri-  
day, shopping.Mr. and Mrs. Tom Towns spent  
the week-end at Athens Fish and  
Game Club.Miss Katherine Kenner was a  
visitor in Corsicana Friday.Mrs. Fred Elliott and small  
daughter are in Dallas.Miss Elizabeth Calliecutt, high  
school teacher spent the week-end  
with her parents.D. Miles was transacting busi-  
ness in Corsicana Friday.Mr. and Mrs. David Strange have  
moved near Athens.Mrs. Herbert Stephenson of Italy  
and Joe D. Stephenson of Corsi-  
cana visited their parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. E. Stephenson recently.

## BARRY.

Special to the Sun.

Barry, Texas, Jan. 14.—The bas-  
ketball teams of Blooming Grove  
and I. O. O. F. Home played a very  
interesting game on our school  
campus Tuesday afternoon.The scores were 20 and 20. They  
are to play the tie off in the near  
future.The young people of M. E. church  
are to put on a play Friday even-ing Jan. 15 in the school auditor-  
ium. Everyone invited.Quarterly conference convened  
with Methodist church Thursday  
of last week. Rev. A. W. Hall,  
presiding elder, preached at 11  
o'clock.Dr. and Mrs. Worsham enter-  
tained the young people at their  
home Friday evening.J. K. Elkins and family of Drane  
visited in Barry Sunday afternoon.Miss Mary Harrison was shop-  
ping in Corsicana Tuesday after-  
noon.Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Woodruff  
visited relatives in Corsicana Sun-  
day.Mrs. Will Massengale and son,  
Rex, of Blooming Grove were in  
Barry Sunday.W. T. Woodruff of Italy was vis-  
iting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Var-  
nell, Tuesday.Miss Una Freeman is spending  
the first part of this week with a  
friend at Fairfield.Mrs. Jewell Nash was shopping  
in Corsicana Monday.Miss Evelyn Mitchell is on the  
sick list this week.Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Boswell made  
a business trip to Corsicana Tues-  
day.

## PURDON.

Special to the Sun.

Purdon, Texas, Jan. 14.—Wed-  
nesday night Purdon Lodge, No.  
526, I. O. O. F., installed the fol-  
lowing officers: C. A. Steele, N. G.;  
T. L. Ellis, V. G.; S. S. Skid-  
ner, secretary, and W. E. Castles,  
treasurer; F. C. Butler, R. Ellis,  
T. N. Kelly, Lee Jayroe, Ben Shell,  
Lee Davis and R. E. Spence, ap-  
pointive officers.On Saturday night the gin be-  
longing to R. F. Johnston was  
burned, with a loss of several  
thousand dollars.Lee Jayroe went to Waco Satur-  
day night.

Mrs. R. K. McGee was called to

Scullen, Ok., Friday by the serious  
illness of her father.Pay Purley came in Saturday  
night from Dawson and is the  
guest of J. P. Anderson and fam-  
ily.Messdames Mack Lawrence and  
O. O. Wells of Corsicana were vis-  
iting in Purdon Monday.W. M. Crossland attended court  
in Waco Wednesday.Mrs. Gene Kersinger visited her  
mother, Mrs. T. M. Key, Monday.W. E. Butler is on jury service  
this week.W. L. French was a Waco visit-  
or Wednesday.

Sick list this week.

Mrs. Carrie Campton is on the  
sick list this week.J. D. Dowdle and family have  
moved to the country.Ben Shell and family visited at  
Italy Sunday.Mrs. W. W. Dill went to Electra  
Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs.  
Tom Belt.OFFICERS ELECTED  
BY FROST BANKS AT  
ANNUAL MEETINGSThe following directors have been  
elected by the stockholders of the  
First National Bank of Frost:  
John W. Matlock, S. S. Hooser, S.  
F. Jones, R. J. Sanders, J. L. Hal-  
bert and J. C. Beck, directors; John  
W. Matlock, president; R. J. Sand-  
ers, vice president; S. S. Hooser,  
active vice president; John C. Beck,  
vice president and cashier; J. C.  
Young, assistant cashier.The following directors and of-  
ficers have been elected by the  
Citizens State Bank of Frost:  
J. M. Scott, A. H. Strain, R. F.  
Shaw, H. P. Ross and J. A. Tullos,  
directors.J. M. Scott, president; A. H.  
Strain, vice president; R. F. Shaw,  
active vice president; G. L. Haley,  
cashier; J. B. Strain, assistant  
cashier.

## Think Well

Before turning your money into  
a channel removed from your home  
town—Corsicana.Throw off that Cold  
by taking Klok-LaxDon't go around choked up with a  
cold this winter! Then, the most miser-  
able cold will disappear.  
Take Klok-Lax at the first sign  
of distress and you will throw it  
off.  
Stop using sickening drugs that  
get your stomach all out of fix-  
ure. You have got to clean out the  
wastes in your intestines and  
start a free bowel movement be-  
fore you can get rid of a cold.  
Klok-Lax is the new, improved  
way to treat a cold. It thoroughly  
cleans out your entire 25-foot intes-  
tinal canal. Then, the most miser-  
able cold will disappear.  
Better still, keep your bowels  
cleaned out all the time—keep your  
system purified by taking Klok-Lax  
regularly—and the chances are you  
will never take a cold.  
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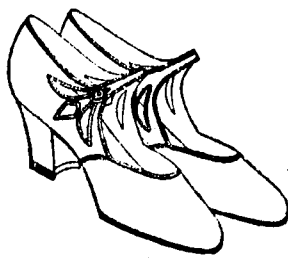
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## AMERICAN LEGION ABOUT READY FOR PARIS INVASION

By the Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Jan. 13.—A bit of the atmosphere that existed when America's fighters went to Europe to help win the World war will be recreated for the benefit of the 30,000 or more members of the American Legion who will attend the ninth annual convention of the organization in Paris, September 19 to 23.

The doughnut girl of the Salvation Army will be there to show that she has not forgotten how to distribute the pastry; the Red Cross will have its nurses and physicians on hand to care for the sick; and the Y. M. C. A., the K of C., the Jewish Welfare Board and American Library Association will revive their activity of the recent conflict.

Convoy of 28 Liners

After nearly two years' organized effort, the details of the peace-time movement to France have virtually been completed. Twenty-eight liners will carry the former members of the expeditionary forces and their wives, mothers and fathers. The ships will embark from eight ports—Montreal, Boston, New York, Hampton Roads, Charleston, Jacksonville, Galveston, and New Orleans.

American business men and industries have cooperated with the Legion so that the men may get away from their work and make the trip at a minimum expense. Railroad fare to and from the point of embarkation will be at a reduced rate. The entire trip, including lodging and food for seven days in Paris, and including a battlefield and cemetery tour, will cost from \$175 to \$500.

Many European countries will eliminate the necessity of passport visas to permit the former fighters to visit many lands at a great financial saving. The arrangements overseas are such that any portion of the old battle front may be visited and the men make an extended stay if they desire.

The France convention committee of the American Legion has announced that the closing date for reservations will be May 15.

## PINK BOLL WORM INFESTING SMALL AREA IN ARIZONA

Special to the Sun.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The pink bollworm has recently been determined to be rather widely scattered in Cochise and Graham counties, Southeastern Arizona. Fortunately, the infestations are confined to small, recently developed irrigation districts remote from the important cotton producing areas in Arizona, particularly the Salt River district.

Clean-up operations are now under way similar to those employed in East Texas in 1916 and Western Louisiana in 1920, which apparently resulted in wiping out infestations in these States which were much more widespread and important than those now under consideration.

In view of the isolation of the Arizona infestations and the limited areas involved, the possibility of effecting eradication is believed to be much more favorable even than it was in Texas and Louisiana. Some thirty Federal inspectors are now engaged in determining the extent of the infestation in the State and in directing clean-up work.

Federal quarantine action on account of the pink bollworm in Arizona will be deferred until the surveys referred to have been completed. In the meantime, quarantine officials of the State are cooperating with the United States Department of Agriculture in preventing the movement of all cotton products out of the infested areas.

## A. AND M. COLLEGE SHORT COURSE IN ICE CREAM MAKING

Special to the Sun.

College Station, Texas, Jan. 13.—The first short course in ice cream making to be offered by the Dairy Husbandry Department, School of Agriculture, A. & M. College of Texas, was opened January 10 for a five-day period. Thirteen managers of ice cream plants from throughout the state were on hand and registered for the course. George P. Grout, head of the dairy husbandry department, announced. The ice cream making course, conducted at the ice cream making plant of the dairy husbandry department which is equipped with new and modern machinery, includes instruction by specialists in the mixing of ingredients, in production and care of high quality milk, testing, freezing and other matters pertinent to the business of making ice cream. Ice cream making has been carried on by the dairy husbandry department for years and a course in the manufacture of ice cream has been conducted but heretofore, no short course in the subject has been held. The course includes lectures and practical demonstrations.

George P. Grout, head of the dairy husbandry department; J. A. Clutter, professor of dairy husbandry and specialist in ice cream making; R. R. Powell, creamery operator; J. L. Thomas, dairy specialist, Extension Service; Dr. C. C. Hedges, head of the chemistry department and E. H. Gibbons, bacteriologist, comprise the staff conducting the course.

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## SEVERAL DEGREES WILL BE AWARDED A. AND M. COLLEGE

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Special to the Sun.

College Station, Texas, Jan. 13.—Twenty-two degrees will be awarded by the A. and M. College of Texas at the end of the first term of the current session, according to an announcement from Dean Charles E. Friley, registrar of the College. Awards will be made of one professional degree, one master of science degree, one doctor of veterinary medicine degree, and 19 bachelor of science degrees. The first term will end on Friday, January 28 and the second term will begin on Saturday, January 29. The degrees will be awarded as follows:

Professional—O. A. Seward, Jr., Nevada, civil engineer.  
 Master of science—E. Hobbs, Llano, agriculture.  
 Doctor of veterinary medicine—A. V. Young, Marshall.

The group which will receive bachelor of science degrees is divided into courses as follows:  
 Agricultural administration—R. K. Lothrop, Marshall; J. A. Schmale, Shawnee, Okla.  
 Agriculture—F. Gomez, Jr., Linares, Mexico; O. J. Hansen, Dallas; R. W. Hutchins, Grandview; C. B. Kennington, Devine; J. D. Langford, Jr., Greenville; N. H. Reveire, College Station; F. E. Tutt, Meridian; W. H. Olivari, San Antonio.

Agricultural engineering—W. R. Bodine, Temple; C. F. Gorman, Winthrop.

Civil engineering—E. J. Axline, Tucson, Arizona; G. E. Beau, Lubbock.

Electrical engineering—L. Laughlin, San Angelo.

Agricultural education—T. H. Cheaney, Dallas; W. W. Powers, Fort Stockton.

Rural education—R. H. Mitchell, College Station.

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## LIMESTONE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT IS SHOWN HONORS

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 13.—Word has been received by Mrs. Cora Ferguson, county superintendent of her appointment as a member of the membership committee of the Texas State Teachers association. Mrs. Ferguson's appointment was made by R. D. Green, of Abilene, president.

Bridge Estimate Allowed.

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 13.—Second estimate on three bridges of Limestone county being built by the Austin Bridge Company was allowed by the county commissioners' court Monday. The estimate was for \$12,273.57.

Official Bonds Approved

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 13.—Commissioners of Limestone county have approved the following official bonds: R. L. Smith, constable, precinct 5; Roy H. Stokes, public weigher, precinct 4; E. R. Leach, commissioner, precinct 1; O. S. Compton, public weigher, precinct 7; H. C. Fitzgerald, treasurer; R. W. Steen, tax assessor; Ed Andrews, commissioner, precinct 3; M. A. Almsworth, district clerk.

Teachers in Session

Special to the Sun.

Groesbeck, Texas, Jan. 13.—With about 35 teachers in attendance the Limestone-Freestone class of Dr. T. D. Brooks, Baylor university met Saturday at Teague. The next session is in Mexico on January 29.

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## BLOOMING GROVE BANK ELECTED NEW OFFICERS TUESDAY

Special to the Sun.

Blooming Grove, Texas, Jan. 13.—The Citizens National Bank of Blooming Grove held its annual stockholders meeting Jan. 11, and elected the following directors for the ensuing year: F. H. Simpson, S. A. Roberts, R. L. Harris, J. D. George, S. M. Woodard, J. R. Griffin, J. L. Sewell and J. B. Fortson. Immediately after the stockholders' meeting, the directors met and elected the following officers: R. L. Harris, president; F. H. Simpson, active vice president; S. A. Roberts, vice president; J. R. Griffin, cashier; T. M. George, Jr., assistant cashier; J. O. McSpadden, Jr., assistant cashier.

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## Opaline Liberty Aero Oil Approved for Fageol Safety Coaches

The builders of engines that go into Fageol Safety Coaches have now added Opaline Liberty Aero Oil to Opaline Motor Oil Extra Heavy, as an approved lubricant for the Hall-Scott bus type engine.

The Hall-Scott bus type engine was designed with full recognition of the demands for passenger coach service. It is an engine which reflects optimism and vision into the future of bus transportation. The engineers and builders who have so carefully thought out this engine to anticipate future requirements, are equally solicitous of its maintenance and the continuity of efficient performance. Therefore their tests of lubricants are very practical and thorough. An oil which passes their approval has truly "demonstrated" its performance possibilities to the satisfaction of experienced engineers.

Opaline Motor Oil Extra Heavy has been on the Approved List of the Hall-Scott Motor Company for several months. However numerous operators were reporting much success with Opaline Liberty Aero Oil, and a factory confirmation was very much desired. The letter quoted below formally reports the Hall-Scott endorsement of Opaline Liberty Aero Oil.

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